on fire He ran wildly from the shop to his home

Drs Elizabeth Cheatham I A McMurray and A M Crane were called They pronounced the burns extremely serious and ordered her taken to the Central Emergency hospital, which was done the Hess & Markert ambulance being called There the doctors did everything known to the science of their profession to save her life but she had inhaled the life destroying flames Besides her entire body was fearfully burned She was conscious a great deal of the time and suffered untold agony At 1 o clock Saturday morning she found surcease in a welcome death Her grief stricken husband remained at her bedside until the last

Saturday the terribly burned corpse was removed to the Hess & Markert morgue where it was prepared for burial

The dead woman was formerly Miss Keziah Walker a daughter of Mrs George W Ronk of Patterson street She was married to Mr Tonguett about seven years ago Her children are Violet aged six years William W, aged three years and Olive aged about eight months

The funeral services were held at the home of Mrs Tonguett s mother Mrs George W Ronk on Patterson street Sunday afternoon at 2 o clock Burial took place in the cemetery at Agosta

SOME GLEANINGS FROM RICHWOOD

Notes and News of Thriving Union County Town

Richwood O Aug [illegible] [Sp]ecial Company [illegible] Sixty Sixth O V I held its twentieth annual reunion Thursday at the residence of Mr and Mrs John Allen on [illegible] avenue The day was ideal and the comrades thoroughly enjoyed the occasion There are but two members of the company living in Richwood—John Allen and [illegible] By noon a company of forty had assembled at the Allen home and all marched to the [illegible] hotel where a fine dinner was enjoyed Returning to Mr Allen's residence the afternoon was spent socially A large number of members of the G A R and the W R C dropping in Captain B S Cannon of Urbana gave [illegible] of the Fort [illegible] fight [illegible] W Thomas of [illegible] Mrs [illegible] gave a timely address After business had been [illegible] officers [illegible] year as follows President W H [illegible] Cook of Delaware [illegible] P T Carter [illegible] was decided to hold the [illegible] with W B Vinal [illegible] Union county in Aug 1911 Mr Thomas who had not met his comrades for more than forty years [illegible] came here expressly [illegible] The G A R quartet [illegible] Messrs S A McNeal [illegible] Phillips, Don Van Winkle and Dr S [illegible]

grove street An interesting program was rendered with Miss Emma [illegible] as leader Lunch was served at the close of the business meeting

Mr and Mrs Fred Finney and children were the guests Sunday of Mr and Mrs James Finney of Lewis Center Mr Finney returning home Sunday and his family remaining for the week

Mrs Ora Shaw of Kenton returned home Friday after a visit with her sister Mrs Elmer Hall

Miss Nora Updegraff of Kansas Ohio has been the guest of her cousin Mrs Vasa Montrese during the past several days

Mrs Chriss Ewell of Peru spent the past week with Miss Hazel Husted

Quarterly meeting services of the M E church were held Thursday afternoon at the parsonage Rev [illegible] president of the Ohio [illegible] of the M P church of Cincinnati was present at the meeting [illegible] The pastor Rev M B Storer will go to Salina in two weeks to attend the annual conference of the denomination

Mrs Mae Harriman accompanied by her niece Miss Leila Harriman of Marion went to Columbus Saturday to visit several days with the former's sister Mrs W E Emmary

Miss Alpha Phillips left Sunday for Dayton where she will be employed for several weeks in a wholesale millinery house

Mrs C E King was the guest of friends in Columbus Friday

Mr and Mrs K M Davis of Mt Vernon have been guests of the former's sister Mrs Elmer Hall during the past few days

Mrs N E Smith of Los Angeles California arrived in Richwood Thursday and remained here until Sunday evening with her sister Mrs W H Evans She left Sunday for New York City where she will purchase millinery goods for her store in Los Angeles

Mr Vern Campbell spent [illegible] evenings in Columbus [illegible]

Miss Pauline [illegible] is visiting her grandparents Mr and Mrs E W Martin of Columbus Grove

A very delightful picnic was held [illegible] afternoon and evening at [illegible] Magnetic Springs [illegible] young women [illegible] the company being composed of the following Mr [illegible] McAlister Mr O E Riggs Mr Lizzie Phillips Mrs Alpha [illegible] Mrs [illegible] Mr Harriman Mr Mae [illegible] Mr Albie [illegible] Mr Anna [illegible] Mr Ara Shipley Mr Mary [illegible] Mr Miriam McAlister and Mr [illegible]

Mrs Sam Spilman and daughter who spent the past two weeks with Mr [illegible] Finney and other friends in Richwood left Saturday for Marion to visit a few days with Mr B Hannegan and family before returning home

Girl for [illegible]

in evidence by the wife It was written by Leonard to his wife In it he threatened her with dire punishment if she attempted to prosecute him

MAURICE CLARK IS RELEASED FROM JAIL

A Brother Comes to Rescue of the Prisoner

Maurice Clark twenty eight years old a locomotive railway fireman residing at Columbus was released from jail by Sheriff John G Stark Sunday afternoon after furnishing $[illegible]00 bond in the common pleas court Clark was arrested on a paternity charge preferred by Miss Esther M Arbopoulos of this city He was arraigned before Justice Charles E Compf last week and pleaded guilty He said he was willing to marry the girl who is soon to become a mother but she declined [illegible] him as a husband and sought a settlement Justice Compf then held him to the common pleas court Sunday Lloyd A Clark of [illegible] a brother of the young man and C M Walters of this city went on his bond

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UNCLAIMED MAIL

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The following mail remains unclaimed in the local postoffice

Men John Allen C S Burnsides H E Bryan Philip A Bender W Boughten [illegible] H Carl Coleman E D Goode Harold H [illegible] Ellen [illegible] Earl Howe One Hopkins W Hoffhine John Hayes W C [illegible] Earl Innis O W Kelley C W Kennedy Ladis Lemaster Day McLain Ola McDonald E E Meeker J Merchant Angus Miller John Moorhead Frank [illegible] E A Lewell Wm E Lotter Albert [illegible] William Patterson D Robinowitz Chas E [illegible] Albert W Sawhill Omar Stewart Harry Smith Ben Smith J K Wolfin Dr Wright

Women Mrs [illegible] Brown Mrs K [illegible] Mrs Abe Davis Edna Creel Mrs Nora [illegible] M Hill Mrs Mary Halls Ida Hawk Mrs Sarah Harper Mr Mary [illegible] Emma Lunford Mr N [illegible] Mark Mr A W McCully Mr C N Miles Mrs [illegible] Palmer Kate Short Mrs Zoe Sycks Mrs [illegible] S Smith Mr E I Church [illegible] No 119

Firms [illegible] Lighting company National [illegible] company

Foreign A Simon Antonio Szat [illegible] Giuseppe Misoliotti [illegible] Salvatore [illegible] Antonio [illegible] Giovanni [illegible] Como Rusin

Notice When calling please say that mail was advertised

M B Dickerson P M

For [illegible] fresh cut off the [illegible] and prepare for the [illegible] in a damp napkin [illegible] They will keep fresh and [illegible] several days

Marion died at her home No 200 Madison street Sunday morning at 10 o clock Death was due to the infirmities of age and complications She had never fully recovered from a severe attack of pneumonia last winter, when she and her aged husband both were dangerously ill of the disease

Mrs Dennis was conscious almost to the very last When death came the members of her family were at her bedside She was a lovable Christian woman and her death will be learned with deep regret by a large circle of friends

The deceased was born in Baden Germany September [illegible] 18[illegible]7 and came to this county many years ago Besides her husband she is survived by four daughters and two sons—Mrs William Lawrence Mrs Bert [illegible] Misses Margaret C and Anna M Dennis and George W and Otto A Dennis all of this city

Mrs Dennis was a member of the German M E church

The funeral services were held at the German M E church Tuesday morning at 10 o clock Rev C I Burall officiating Short services were also held at the late residence Tuesday morning at 9 o clock Interment took place in the Marion cemetery

ANNUAL PICNIC AND REUNION HELD

By the Marionites and Ex-Marionites at Lakeside

The annual picnic and reunion held by a number of Marionites and ex-Marionites who visit Lakeside each year was held this year at [illegible] last Friday After the [illegible] a number of the party went fishing and returned with [illegible] fish weighing less than one pound [illegible] largest fish captured [illegible] Myers weighed seven and a half pounds and it was landed with difficulty The party [illegible] Lakeside with the finest [illegible] said to have ever been [illegible] that place [illegible] company was composed [illegible] including the following [illegible] ex Marionites Mr and M [illegible] Hochsteter Mr Frank D Springer and Mrs Henry Smiley Mrs and [illegible] Myers of this [illegible] Mr A E Smith and Ada and Mr and Mrs [illegible] and children of [illegible]

Mrs Tambling Dies

W Culbertson and Miss Fannie left Sunday [illegible] Falls to attend the [illegible] Mrs Mortimer Tambling [illegible] the late Mrs D M [illegible] Mrs Tambling who [illegible] many years will be [illegible] by old friends

offers every inducement forceful good [illegible] very direction and the king advantage of the ments offered

a Bid—No One Expects Father to Be Present but They Will Be Asked Just the Same—Committee Chairmen Are Named

President Bill Taft will be invited to attend the third annual reunion of the Marion County Bill [illegible] association to be held at the fairground Monday September [illegible] Even Hon Bill Bryan [illegible] of so many defeats and political trials and tribulations both in Nebraska and throughout the entire United States is not to be slighted This was unanimously determined at a meeting of a number of the Marion county Bills held in the alley adjoining Bill Strevers drug store on east Center street Monday night

Of course no one expects the two famous Bills to accept the invitation but to use the language of one of the local Bills it would never do to overlook them

Hon Bill Hopper of Marysville has also been invited and he has accepted He has promised to make a speech on the subject Little Bills and Big Bills That Bill the World by a Billion Maybe

The following committee chairmen were named at Monday night's meeting

W H Helvey [illegible] William McGrath horse and pony [illegible] W H Harsen mule race W E Smith automobile race W B Strever [illegible] races William Bland instrumental music during [illegible] William McGrath fireworks W E Smith privileges William [illegible] son badges W E Smith vocal music William Marsh

William C [illegible] will be the grand marshal Other committees will be named at a meeting to be held next Monday night

The Bills will march to the fairground and the program to give a gala event [illegible] made

THE LITTLE SON OF MR AND MRS MORTON

Dies of Whooping Cough at Their Home on Clinton Street

Grant Edward seven months old son of Mr and Mrs Edward Morton died of whooping cough and complications at the family residence on Clinton street Sunday morning

The funeral services were held at the Morton home Monday afternoon [illegible] Interment in the Marion cemetery

Indiana Mexican War Veterans

The thirty seventh annual reunion of the Indiana State Association of the Veterans of the Mexican war will be held in the [illegible] Indianapolis September [illegible] [illegible] widow and family [illegible] the National Association [illegible] Veterans will [illegible] be remembered

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West Center St

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to buy from the choicest
Stock of Suits in Marion
at End of Season Prices
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15.00 Suits Go at 10.25
20.00 Suits Go at 13.25
25.00 Suits Go at 17.25
Hats—All Kinds—Sale Prics.
MACKEN & SMITH.

FARMERS!
We want you all to know that we have remodeled our elevator. We have made it accessable by bringing the driveway down to a level with the mill floor, and by making the driveway wide enough for any kind of vehicle. We have added conveniences consisting of new large wagon and a 125 bushel Hopper Scale, an overhead dump and bins under the driveway so as to dump loose grain Come and see us. We want your patronage.
The Marion National Mill Co

Don't Overlook Good Things
The man who invented the hinged button better and got rich by it saw a good thing that had been within six inches of millions of men s eyes for fifty years Don't over look these reductions all within reach of your pocketbook
$25.00 H S. & M. Suits at ..$15.75
$15.00 Suits. at 9.98
$ 1.50 Wilson Bros. Shirts at . 98
75 Shirts at .. 19
STRELITZS
The Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes.

Flint hospital

Mrs Shelton twenty eight Chicago badly burned taken to Flint hospital

Watt home in Canada forty three badly cut taken to Flint

Unidentified woman thirty four burned about face and body

Unidentified man thirty eight slightly hurt

Charles Spencer Battle Creek engineer on train No 4

The Missing

Eight to eleven Pullman passengers thought to be dead in burned wreck

Placing Blame

Durand Mich Aug 25—With six bodies in the morgue two of which have been identified another in a state that will not prevent identification by relatives three burned so terribly that it is even impossible to estimate sex or age and an unknown number estimated variously at from five to ten passengers missing the official investigation of the Grand Trunk wreck near here, began this afternoon

The railroad refused to extend courtesies to newspaper men here in order to help clear up the confusion as to the exact number of dead but Superintendent Blake promised to make an official statement regarding the number later

Of the persons missing rescuers declare positively that several were incinerated in the Pullman which practically burned itself out this morning Some rescuers declare that five bodies were burned

Prosecutor Hicks Secretary Kelly of the state railroad commission Coroner [illegible] and his jury this afternoon went to Durfield to begin the investigation Before actually investigating Hicks who during the strike was criticised because of [illegible] with the Grand Trunk declared today that so far as he [illegible] Brakeman Graham a strikebreaker did his duty in flagging the train behind the express [illegible] declared it looks [illegible] of Engineer Spencer of No 4 [illegible] responsible

[illegible] was able to return home to Battle Creek this afternoon One dead woman Mrs Woodruff was identified by George Hutson of [illegible] whom she was to [illegible] She was an invalid and was traveling with her son Clin[illegible] and a nurse The nurse [illegible] to be one of the charred [illegible] Davis is here so crazed [illegible] that he has been kept ignorant of his mother's fate

Wreckage on Fire

Durand Mich Aug [illegible] Eight [illegible] added and mangled lifeless [illegible] persons probably fatal [illegible] three others missing and five others seriously injured is the [illegible] of the frightful wreck on the Grand Trunk at Durfield near here today

The Montreal express from Chicago consisting of nine coaches stopped at Durfield east of Durand to make some repairs, when train No

UNDER CONTROL

Danger of Renewal Now at Minimum

MANY RANGERS AMONG THE DEAD

Twenty Blackened Corpses Are Just Found

The Truth Is, Forest Officials Admit Scores of Persons Who Have Been Missing Since Fires Start Will Never Be Definitely Accounted For—The Fire Area Is Vast and Destruction General

Spokane Wash Aug 25—All settlers who escaped from the forest fires in Idaho and Montana are now safe and the fires were officially declared to be under control with the danger of renewal at a minimum in a statement issued today by Supervisor Weigele of the Coeur d Alene national forest

The statement also officially reports ninety four known deaths as the result of the fires most of them of rangers Weigele's statement declares that 18 other rangers headed by Ranger Joseph Malm who were encircled by fire last Saturday in the Coeur d Alene forest have probably perished

Last night and this morning were devoted almost entirely by the forestry department officials to counting up the dead Twenty two bodies of rangers have been found near Avery Ten Japanese perished near the same place Twenty blackened corpses those of rangers have been located in St Joe county and 106 more in the St Joe district have been missing for five days

Saving Forests

In addition Malm's 18 men has not been located and 600 rangers who went out from Thompsons Falls Montana Sunday to fight the flames have vanished completely as if the earth had swallowed them

The truth is forest officials admit scores of persons who have been missing since the fires began will never be definitely accounted for The fire area is so vast and the destruction so general that it will be almost impossible to locate all missing persons definitely or to determine whether they are living or dead

The rangers working in the fire zone were able to devote practically all of their attention today to saving the forests now that all the towns that could be saved have been placed out of imminent danger The feeling now is that the fires will quickly burn themselves out

encamped commencing Sunday The Second regiment will detrain at Franklin Third at Miamisburg Sixth at Dayton and Ninth battalion colored at Xenia All regiments will spend one night in camp en route to the fort

Lad Cremated In Barn.

Bellefontaine O Aug 25 — Fred Harmon 3 son of Charles A Harmon was burned to death in his father's barn in a fire which was caused by the little boy and his older brother playing with matches The contents of the barn including two horses two cows machinery and crops and the family residence with the household goods were destroyed

To Name Judicial Candidates

East Liverpool O Aug 25—The Republican judicial convention for the circuit comprising the 14 eastern counties of the state from Lake Erie to the Ohio River is in session here today for the purpose of placing in nomination three candidates for judicial honors There is a large field of aspirants

Third Shot Takes Effect

Bridgeport O Aug 25—A third attempt to assassinate Walter Graham a Martins Ferry grocer was made when he was called from his home and shot in the arm by an unidentified man The other attacks have been made in a similar manner

REQUISITION WILL NOT BE HONORED

Driscoll Must Serve Sentence in Ohio First

Columbus O Aug 25—Governor Harmon will not honor a requisition from the governor of Illinois for the return to that state of Edward Driscoll an escaped convict from the Ohio penitentiary, who is under arrest at Cleveland charged with stealing an automobile in Illinois

Harmon says Ohio has first claim on Driscoll and he must serve out his time here The Illinois authorities may have him then

Driscoll turned the lights out in the penitentiary last April and escaped over the wall before they were turned on again

GOVERNOR ISSUES A PROCLAMATION

Sets September 5 as Labor Day and Lauds Toilers

Columbus O Aug 25—Governor Harmon, yesterday issued a proclamation calling attention to Labor day September 5 and asking all citizens of Ohio to observe it

This most fitting tribute to those who toil and to the fact that labor is the foundation of all our material prosperity is worthy of general recognition says the proclamation

After working day and night for almost a month on the strike the governor took a few hours off today and went to Reynoldsburg to make a speech at a picnic

and A I Garford both refused to be candidates

ITALIAN LAD IS MURDERED

Father Makes Gruesome Discovery in New York.

THE BOY'S BODY IS SLASHED TO RIBBONS

Little Peter Fabian Is Missing for a Week

Boy Is Kidnaped and Father Seeks Advice from Fortune Teller Who Tells Parent That Boy Will Be Found Near Home, Intimating That Lad May Be Dead and Father Then Finds Body

Rondout N Y Aug 25—Under the leadership of Deputy Sheriff Frank Spidfort and Constable Sotillo posses are today searching the surrounding country for two Italian laborers who are believed to be the murderers of four year old Peter Fabian whose body slashed to ribbons was found yesterday in an outbuilding near the home of Frank Fabian the father at Glasco

Little Peter was kidnaped a week ago his abductors it is believed being men with whom the elder Fabian had trouble Believing the child would be returned in a few days Fabian did not become alarmed until Tuesday when he went to New York and consulted a fortune teller The latter according to his story told Fabian that he would find his boy near his home but he did not know whether the child would be alive

Search Begins

Fabian returned and instituted a thorough search resulting in the gruesome discovery The building had been searched before which indicates that the kidnapers alarmed at the interest that had been aroused in the case slipped the child into the building and there committed the murder the unspeakable brutality of which has inflamed the entire community

There are open threats of lynching by the Italians who make up a large part of the searching parties The only clue is the fact that the father had serious trouble recently with two fellow laborers These men have since disappeared

Ellicott club

At the close of the breakfast the colonel was greeted with a wild yell as he rose to speak He began a talk on the need of preserving the water supply of the Great Lakes from pollution but soon shifted from pure water to politics

We must keep unpolluted the waters of the Great Lakes the most wonderful body of fresh water in the world said the colonel We have also got to act likewise in the field of moral public and domestic life We must see that things are not polluted at the source We must keep the standard of public honesty and decency foremost in our minds

Hunting Honesty

I believe in pure government and in so believing I recognize no party distinction If I make any party distinction it is a little more my business to hunt out a crook who belongs to my party than if he belongs to another Friends we must keep our eyes fixed Distrust above all other men the man who will inveigh the dishonesty of another Distrust the demagogue who can't see crookedness in the grafting labor leaders Distrust him who sees crookedness in the poor man alone and overlooks the financier or head of a corporation Don't let a man think he is to be pitied because he listens to the voice of the corrupt financier My experience is that a man who goes wrong while in the employ of a corporation is a crook from the start and he will just as quickly when backed into a corner blackmail that corporation

If the people at large pass by the effort to find this crook if they fail to condemn his actions they will have themselves to thank in the end You are not going to get honesty unless you insist that a man show honesty to all

Turning to his left Colonel Roosevelt said

Mysterious Stranger

If there are any members of corporations present I hope they will acquit me of any misstep I might have made in my remarks

Continuing to the assemblage he said

I'll fight for the rights of the big man as well as the small man and I'll fight for the rights of the small man as hard as I will for the big man

Accompanied by members of the reception committee Colonel Roosevelt walked out of the club rooms and into the elevator On the way down the man in charge of the elevator [illegible] to Roosevelt

Hello Teddy I'm from Missouri

Well well laughed the colonel I'm glad to see the mysterious stranger

Reaching the court of the Ellicott Square building Colonel Roosevelt was surrounded by newspaper men and asked whether he had anything to say regarding the political

Death Ends Tragic Career of Ex Convict

HE DROPS DEAD IN INDIANAPOLIS

Only a Few Miles from His Destination.

Story of Wess Moore Is a Tragedy Moore Leaves Indiana for California After His Crops Are Failures and He Gets into Trouble Which Ends in Murder—On Way to Boyhood Haunts When He Dies

Indianapolis Ind Aug 25—On his way back to his old home to spend the remaining days of a life of tragedy around the haunts of his boyhood J Wess Moore ex convict and the most pathetic figure in the prison history of California lies today in the morgue here only a few miles from his goal his last wish unfulfilled Moore dropped dead on the streets here last night The story of Wess Moore is a tragedy

Some twenty five years ago Moore left Greenfield Indiana following heavy crop failures and went to California dreaming of recouping his losses by mining He took a happy wife with him Moore located in Trinity county on a promising claim but had it but a short time when claim jumpers drove him off Returning to save his property Moore battled with his foes and shot one of them dead He was sent to San Quentin prison for life And shortly after and his wife died of a broken heart

Storm of Protest

A year ago Moore was paroled He organized what he called the Society for the Friendless his aim to help ex convicts to become good men and to secure the paroles of deserving prisoners spending his soldier's pension of $12 a month for that purpose

Moore gained such an enviable reputation and so much newspaper praise that politicians on the California prison commission engaged in the work Moore was doing became jealous and succeeded in getting the old man sent back to prison for life on flimsy grounds against a storm of protest from one end of California to the other

Recently public sentiment forced his release again and he came home only to die of a broken heart

Detroit Selected

Baltimore Md Aug 25—Detroit was selected today as the meeting place of the next convention of the Loyal Order of Moose

streetcars

Six companies of the Fifth regiment of Cleveland will arrive in Columbus Friday to take the place of the First regiment now on strike duty The First will on Saturday morning go into camp at Fort Ancient

Reports that a sharpshooter was to pick off members of car crews on Leonard avenue resulted in the doubling of the guards on that thoroughfare but nothing came of the rumors

Local labor organizations are planning for a big street parade and demonstration for the strikers on Labor day Sept 5 the first day of the state fair

Want Mutineers Reinstated

Friends of [illegible] city patrolmen who mutinied when Mayor Marshall ordered members of the department to ride on streetcars will endeavor at a special meeting of council called for tonight to compel Mayor Marshall to permit the policemen to return to the department The mayor has declared that they shall never again be connected with it while he is mayor The mutineers have enlisted the aid of influential members of council and unless the mayor consents to their reinstatement a contest over appropriations for continued expenses in connection with the car strike is predicted

Attaches of the governor's office held up applications made to clothe outside detectives with police powers Demand was made upon Mayor Marshall by the carmen's union through its attorney that he at once take all weapons from these detectives

THE PRISONER BALKS WHEN OFFERED OATS

Patrick Has a Good Reason for His Dislike

New York Aug 25—When offered oatmeal for breakfast today in the Blackwells Island penitentiary where he began serving a six months sentence for vagrancy Joseph Patrick thirty nine foamed at the mouth with rage and threatened the keepers

Patrick has good reason for his dislike of oats Late yesterday while a Long Island railroad train was standing on a switch in Brooklyn the conductor heard a tapping from the inside When he cut the seal and opened the door Patrick staggered out with oats in his hair mouth ears pockets and shoes For three days he had been in the car he said having stowed away in Little Falls New York Sunday expecting the car would be sent to Canada In the three days he had no sleep as oats made his position one of peril He ate oats to assuage his hunger but he had no water and was in a bad way when rescued

Explosion on Battleship

Taranto Italy, Aug 25—A boiler explosion today on the Italian battleship Regina Margherita, killed two sailors and wounded seven several of whom, it is feared are fatally hurt

TALKS TO MEN WHO TILL SOIL

Colonel Makes First Speech of Long Tour.

POLITICS ENTERS INTO ADDRESS

Lauds Senator Davenport, a Friend of Hughes.

Roosevelt Spots Enemy of Sherman on the Stage at Grand Reunion and Makes Great Ado Over His Legislative Record—Advises Mixing of Business Methods with Farming and Success Will Come.

Utica, N. Y., Aug. 24.—Ten thousand farmers and their wives, assembled for the second annual picnic of the Herkimer county grange, greeted Colonel Roosevelt when he came into Vice President Sherman's home town and began his long speechmaking tour by singing the praises of Senator Davenport, an ardent Hughes man and supporter of the direct primary measure. Ostensibly it was a time for farm talk exclusively, but Mr. Roosevelt had other things on his mind, following recent political events. The colonel, after he got through with a political stab, devoted himself to an interesting delivery of a speech on what farmers ought to do.

Mr. Roosevelt, as he arose to speak, swept his eye over the picturesque crowd, which were settling down for the feature of the picnic, and it lighted upon Senator Davenport. The colonel beamed. He faced his audience. "I am glad to see on the platform," he shouted, "Senator Davenport." The seats shook and the crowd gave the senator a hand greater even than that Mr. Roosevelt had received. It was a real ovation Davenport, a bitter foe of Sherman, who has been working to throw him out, and has repudiated him, was fussed. He had not estimated his popularity, apparently.

Defines Good Republican.

"I am glad," the colonel continued, when the cheering had ceased, "because the only kind of politics I care for is the kind of politics where decency is combined with efficiency, and I hold that the only way by which a politician can serve his party is by helping that party efficiently serve the people, and because the senator and those associated with him who have stood for those principles are on the platform." Mr. Roosevelt had to stop several moments in order to finish his tribute

"You will at least notice that my utterances are free from ambiguity," he concluded. It was this sort of thing that made the colonel solid right at the outset of his performance. His hearers waited for more of it, but it did not come. At the end of Mr. Roosevelt's address however, there were repeated cries for Davenport, who had been sitting on the stage. The senator, in a Prince Albert suit, remonstrated, but it was useless; they insisted. So Mr. Davenport stood up and demanded quiet. "You have listened to a magnificent speech by a magnificent man," he said. "He represents to my mind better than any other man since Abraham Lincoln, the heart and the conscience and the courage of the great body of our people He has been my ideal. I want to stand for the things he stands for."

Few Startling Utterances.

Mr. Roosevelt's address contained very few startling utterances It was more of a sermon than anything else, but was an interesting and instructive sermon, and the big audience followed the speaker with marked attention.

The colonel put the matter directly up to the farmers who came to hear him He began with conservation of natural farming resources and ended with a tribute to the civil war veterans, who turned out in large numbers. He told the survivors of the rebellion that they were favored men; men who had really done things. He spoke as one soldier to another Mr Roosevelt collected a good deal of his material for the address on a visit to some farms in Long Island a fortnight ago. He brought out the necessity for the farming communities to be represented capably on civic commissions He said that the cities must not grow at the expense of the country. He advised the farmers to take heed to the call for scientific methods, and not to scoff at them. "The doctrinaire is a fool if he thinks he can get along without the practical man" said the colonel "And the practical man is as much of a fool if he thinks he can do without the ory."

The ex-president told the farmers that they should co-operate and study business conditions so that they shall be better able to meet the problems facing them

"Don't imitate the morality of some of these big business men," were his words of warning "but get their efficiency" Mr Roosevelt declared the rich man who spends a fortune upon a fancy farm

"You must pass judgment not upon occupation but upon conduct" he averred, "I want to be able to recognize the Christian by the way he acts on weekdays, I'm against the crook, rich or poor." And there were other remarks.

PROVERBIAL FURY OF THE WOMAN SCORNED

Divorcee Declares She Will Set Law After Copper Magnate.

New York, Aug 24 —The proverbial fury of the woman scorned is evidenced again, today, in the declaration of Mrs Lillian Hobart French, a beautiful divorcee from Butte, Montana, that she will set the law on Fritz Augustus Heinze if the copper magnate weds Miss Bernice Golden Henderson, an actress

Mrs French lives in a luxurious apartment in Riverside Drive and says she has been an intimate friend of Heinze since she was divorced, twelve years ago

Mrs French says Heinze offered her a pension of $150 a month, but that she has spurned the suggestion.

A year ago Mrs French came into some notoriety as the associate of Madame Diss Debar when the "institute" of the notorious psychic was raided

SHEBOYGAN MAN HEIR TO FORTUNE

Spends the Night in Pittsburg Police Station.

Pittsburg, Pa, Aug. 24 After spending the night in a police station here, because he did not have money enough to pay for lodging in a hotel, Carl Fechner, of Sheboygan, Wisconsin, who claims that he is heir to an estate of his sister's, valued at $300,000, took steps, today, to engage an attorney in an attempt to collect the claim.

Fechner carries a copy of the will with him and because he doesn't speak English, the police aided him in engaging an attorney His sister was Laura White, who was found dead in Lawrenceville, near here, in January.

Besides valuable property here, the woman also owned a ranch in California, besides property in Los Angeles, San Diego and Lacaden Park, California, it is said.

ICE-BOXES FILLED WITH HAILSTONES

Farmers Take Advantage of Storm in Indiana.

Muncie, Ind, Aug 24. During an electrical storm over an area of a mile in the vicinity of the village of Trenton, so much hail fell, and the stones were so large, that farmers filled their ice-boxes with them. Much corn was ruined.

THE TEXT-BOOK OF REPUBLICANS

The Book Will Be Issued Next Month.

FAVORS SCIENTIFIC TARIFF REVISION

Taft Will Spring Plan in the Text-Book.

This Will Assure Revision on Most Scientific Lines and Without the Unscientific Results of Business Depression—Certain Schedules of New Law Will Be Revised According to Promises.

Beverly, Mass, Aug 24 One of the prophecies with which the voters of the country are to be greeted in *the Republican campaign text book*, out next month, is a scientific revision of certain schedules of the present tariff law President Taft himself is to be sponsor for this promise It will be a promise not only to revise certain schedules of the Payne Aldrich law, but it will show that thereby the business of the country will not be upset It will assure revision on scientific lines and without the unscientific results of business depression

In the letter which the president mailed from Beverly to Representative McKinley at Chicago this promise was contained The revision of individual schedules is to be made on information furnished by the tariff commission now at work collecting data showing the relative cost of production here and abroad The commission has conducted its investigations into each schedule which was thought worthy of inquiry

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Mrs William Rhuermund and two children, Isabel and George Harmon, Mrs Lucy Krumpe and Miss Anna Scheurman comprised an automobile party, which motored over from Cardington, Wednesday, and spent the day with the latter's sister, Miss Ida Showen, of Oak street.

MADRIZ STIRS THE MEXICANS

Contemplates Visiting Neighboring Republic.

NO SPECIAL FAVORS ACCORDING TO DIAZ

Will Be Granted to the Deposed President.

Dr. Jose Madriz Intends To Visit Mexico During the Centennial Next Month, According to a Report Received—Nicaraguan Situation Enters into the Matter of Intended Call.

Mexico City, Aug 24 A stir was created in diplomatic circles, today, when a report, said to have come from an authoritative source, reached here that Dr Jose Madriz, deposed president of Nicaragua, will visit Mexico during the centennial *celebration next month.*

The Nicaraguan situation has been the cause of constant uneasiness on the part of foreign envoys here on account of the attitude taken by Secretary of State Knox toward Zelaya and Madriz

Some time ago, Madriz notified the Mexican government that he would send a representative to Mexico's celebration and at that time the question was raised as to how such an envoy should be received.

No Special Favors.

President Diaz stated that the Madriz representative would be accorded no special favors, but other foreign representatives felt that if the Nicaraguan envoy was received as other than a private citizen, a direct insult would be given the United States, which has refused to recognize the Madriz government

As yet, Diaz has refused to indicate the action he might take in case Madriz comes in person, saying that he has received no direct information as to the deposed president's intentions.

Every effort is being made, however, to impress upon Diaz that any special honors accorded Madriz may be taken as an offense by the United States state department, and the hope is that Madriz will sail for other than a Mexican port.

SUMMONED FROM THE FIRING LINE

Montana National Guard Leaves Camp Perry To Fight Fires.

Camp Perry, O, Aug. 24 Summoned from the firing line, today, before they could finish the final stage of the national rifle team match here, eighteen men of the Second regiment Montana national guard, are speeding west by special train to fight forest fires in their home state Within twenty minutes of the time Adjutant General Greenan, team captain, received the telegraphic summons from Governor Edwin L Norris, of Montana, the men had broken camp and packed. At 9 20 a m they left Camp Perry for Chicago Had they remained to shoot through the final skirmish stage of the match, they stood a good chance to finish high in class C

THE CUDAHYS ARE DIVORCED

Wife Secures Decree on Grounds of Incompatibility.

Kansas City Aug 24 By a special agreement authorized under an old Missouri law the circuit court of Jackson county granted the application of Mrs Jack Cudahy for divorce on the ground of general incompatibility

No mention of the episode in which Jack Cudahy and Jere Lillis, a prominent Kansas City banker, were the *principals were made in the proceedings* Mrs Cudahy did not ask alimony but a private monetary settlement has been made it is understood. The custody of the four children was given to Michael Cudahy, millionaire packer of Chicago and Omaha father of Jack Cudahy.

INTERFERES WITH TOURIST TRAVEL

Cholera Epidemic Keeps Tourists from Southeastern Italy.

London, Aug 24 The cholera epidemic in Russia and southeastern Italy is seriously interfering with tourist travel Practically the entire Russian frontier is under quarantine Roumania is taking the lead in cutting off travel with Russia, lining her frontier with troops

Today's despatches say that the disease is increasing in southern Russia but is on the decrease in St Petersburg It is persistently reported that cases have appeared in Milan and that the situation in Italy is serious

A number of cases are reported from Turkey

Miss Nellie Beaver has returned home from a week's vacation spent at Dayton.

FIGHTING FOREST FIRES

Methods Employed and Scene at Edge of the Blazing Belt.

BUCKEYE STATE TO BE REPRESENTED

Governor Harmon Picks Delegates to St. Paul Convention.

Columbus, O., Aug. 25 —Governor Harmon has appointed the following delegates to represent Ohio in the National Conservation congress that is to be held in St Paul, Minn., from Sept. 5 to 9: F. E Carr, West Park, H. C. Rogers, Mechanicsburg; Henry M. Huggins, Hillsboro John F. Cunningham, Cleveland, Geo. W. Miller, Bucyrus, Edmund Secrist, Wooster, C. W. Waid, New Carlisle, Dr. H. J. Whitaker, Cincinnati Foster Copeland, Columbus, George W. Lattimer, Columbus; Jonathan Morris, Harveysburg; L. B Yaple, Chillicothe; Horatio Markley, Mt Gilead; Dr. Dan Millikin, Hamilton William Hubbell Fisher, Cincinnati Charles E. Slocum, Defiance, Thomas B. Wyman, Painesville, William Watts Taylor, Cincinnati, George Bumbach, Defiance; Frank M Comstock, Cleveland; Lucien Wulsin, Cincinnati; Professor William R. Lazenby, Columbus.

WHITECAPS GET AFTER PREACHER

Is Severely Whipped by West Virginians.

THEN THEY BURN HIS TABERNACLE

Mob Threatens To Hang the Minister.

Holiness Pastor and Followers Hold Meetings at Sand Ridge for Some Time and Are Subject to Much Criticism—The Grand Jury Will Investigate the Matter, Says a Report.

Parkersburg, W. Va, Aug. 24 —Despatches [illegible] from Grantsville, in Calhoun county, say Rev Scott Williams, Holiness preacher, was dragged [illegible] his bed by fifty whitecaps and [illegible] severely whipped, after which h[illegible]nacle, at Sand Ridge, was burned.

Albert [illegible] Wesley Poling, who tried to [illegible] the crowd not to molest the preacher, are also said to have been [illegible]ed.

The [illegible] said to have left with the warning [illegible] unless the preacher left the [illegible] in ten days he would again be [illegible] and "left hanging to a tree."

Plan of Attack.

The H[illegible] preacher and his followers [illegible] been holding meetings [illegible] Ridge for some time, and [illegible] the target for bitter criticism [illegible] been threatened several [illegible]

The [illegible] ed its way into the preacher[illegible] by using a fence rail as [illegible] ram, and burst into the [illegible] where Rev. Mr Williams [illegible] wife and children were [illegible] To prevent an outcry, a [illegible] was held over the face of Mrs [illegible] so tightly that she and her [illegible] were almost smothered

The [illegible] jury will investigate.

Mrs F[illegible] Vipfler and daughter, Katherine [illegible] returned from a visit [illegible] Pennsylvania, and Cleveland

BOYS HEED THE KAISER'S WORDS

Business Success Attends Sons of Countess.

FORM BIG BUSINESS FIRM IN VANCOUVER

Emperor Tells Lads To Make Own Way.

Declares in Talk Ten Years Ago That Boys Must Give Fellow Nobles Proof That It Is Possible To Be Noblemen in Poverty—Tells Them Not To Live Beyond Their Means and They Act Wisely.

Berlin, Aug. 24.—A frank, fatherly talk by Emperor William to the family of the late Countess Alversleben, given nearly ten years ago, but published in the Berlin press, today, for the first time, is believed to be responsible for the business success that has attended the three sons of the countess.

The Kaiser's speech was delivered December 19, 1900, at a private gathering of Count Alversleban's family at Neu Gattersleben, the occasion being the unveiling of a monument to the countess. After the unveiling, the Kaiser gathered the three sons of the countess about him and addressed them as follows:

"Dear boys, I want to give you a straight talk. I want you to revere the memory of your mother, for she was an angel. You are descended from an ancient and great family, which has given Germany many distinguished men.

Noblemen in Poverty.

"Remember that your father has met with misfortunes, and that your circumstances are not such that you will be able to take life easy. You must make your own way in the world and must give your fellow nobles proof that it is possible to be noblemen in poverty Don't live beyond your means. Give me your hand on it."

The three counts thus admonished, went to Canada, determined to show the *emperor that his words* were appreciated. They now form the big business firm of "Alvon Von Alversleben, Limited," of Vancouver, and Victoria, British Columbia.

MOONSHINE STILL ON PEACEFUL STREET

Washington Is Scene of Bit of Old Kentucky Melodrama.

Washington, Aug. 24.—A "bit of old Kentucky" meldrama minus the hills and the "hill talk," was enacted on the drowsily peaceful streets of Washington when revenue officers took charge of a "moonshine still" with an output, it is said, of a hundred gallons of contraband whisky a day.

The still had "affiliations" with a large wholesale house for the sale of its "corn juice."

The discovery was made through the arrest of Samuel Comillion, a negro, who was found driving a wagon in which there was a full barrel of corn whisky without a revenue stamp.

OSLER INVESTIGATES INFANTILE MALADY

Famous Scientist Goes to Washington for Purpose.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Dr. William Osler, the famous scientist of Baltimore and Oxford, was in Washington today for the purpose, it is said, of investigating the cause of infantile paralysis, which is epidemic here.

The medical association here has undertaken an extensive study of the infantile malady which so far has baffled physicians.

When the association had its first meeting to take up the investigation, the medical fraternity was found to be divided on the elementary question as to whether infantile paralysis was contagious or infectious.

GROUNDHOG HUNTER ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

Young Man Is Killed by Shot from His Own Gun.

Upper Sandusky, O, Aug 23 —Herman Link, twenty-five years old, went in quest of groundhogs, Monday Not having returned, his father went in search of him and found him dead near a groundhog hole, with a gun wound above his breast.

Coroner Rauth pronounced death accidental.

Ohioan Undergoes Operation.

Baltimore, Md, Aug 24.—Supreme Dictator Edmund E Tanner, of Columbus, Ohio, who was elected, yesterday, as head of the Loyal Order of Moose, today, underwent an operation for abscess on the arm.

TERRIFIC CYCLONE HITS WINDY CITY

One Fatally and Score Seriously Hurt and Crops Destroyed.

Chicago, Aug 24 —More than a score of persons were injured, one probably fatally, crops in the surrounding districts were destroyed and damage which may amount to $1,000,000 was wrought in a storm which swept the city and suburbs. The wind at the height of the gale was of cyclonic proportions.

Lake boats by the dozen were torn from their moorings and blown ashore, including some of the finest yachts owned by the Chicago and Columbia clubs Among the wrecked boats is the Lipton cup winner Spray.

Lightning struck the cables of the street railways, passengers on the way home deserting the vehicles for shelter in doorways. One bolt struck the Hyde Park police station.

Everywhere telephone and telegraph poles were blown down, causing delay in train service. Along several of the tracks the *downpour* threatened to wash out the lines. Farmers in the surrounding districts report that their crops are almost total losses.

THE OFFICIALS ON THE RACK

Prominent Eagles Accused of Dividing Graft Fund.

St Louis, Aug 25 — After an all night session the hearing of the graft charges against four prominent members of the Fraternal Order of Eagles was resumed by the special trial committee. The men on trial are: Grant Krause, past *grand worthy* president, Wilmington, Del.; Martin Gray, New Haven, Conn.; Thomas C. Hays, Newark, N. J., and B. F. Monaghan of Philadelphia. The men are accused of participating in a scheme by which $5,200 was divided among them as the proceeds of the sale of receipt punching machines to local aeries. If found guilty the men will be expelled from the order, but no criminal action will be taken. Today the Eagles held their big parade.

OHIO GUARDSMEN FINISH THIRTEENTH

The Buckeye State Men Get the Unlucky Number.

Camp Perry, O, Aug. 25.—The five teams representing the five arms of the United States service are in possession of the five leading places in the national team match.

The riflemen from New York are leading the National Guard teams, having displaced Massachusetts. The Buckeyes have thirteenth place with 2,078.

UNCLE SAM IS SENDNG SHIPS

Four Are Heading for Waters of Panama.

MENDOZA'S ELECTION WILL BE OPPOSED

Country Greatly Excited Over the Election.

United States Is Bound by Treaty To Uphold Panamanian Constitution. Mendoza May Withdraw from the Race as Pressure Seems To Be Getting Pretty Warm Over in Panama—The Program Given.

Panama, Aug. 24.—A promise, today by Acting President Mendoza that he would make a definite announcement within forty-eight hours as to his presidential candidacy, is *generally interpreted as foreshadowing* his withdrawal from the race.

It is reported that four American battleships will arrive in Panama waters, Monday The United States gunboat, Tacoma, is now held at Colon

As the United States government is known to be opposed to the election of Mendoza, when the national assembly meets on September 1, the coming of these war vessels is said to have impressed Mendoza with the futility of his presidential aspirations.

Bound by Treaty.

The United States is bound by treaty to uphold the Panamanian constitution and as Mendoza's election would be a violation of the constitution, which prohibits the election of a president who has served in that capacity for the six months preceding the election, it is believed that even should he be elected, the United States would force his removal

The country is greatly excited over the coming election and the fear of American intervention is so great that leaders of the Liberal and Conservative parties are in almost constant conference in an effort to outline a program that will forestal such action by the United States.

HUNT CROOKS OF PUBLIC LIFE

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hundred railroad men crowded about the Roosevelt special train at Dunkirk shouting: "Teddy! Teddy!"

Colonel Roosevelt walked out on the rear platform and the crowd cheerd wildly. When the crowd quieted, an engine nearly drowned out his voice with the hiss of popping valves.

"The only thing I can not talk against is an engine," shouted Roosevelt and again the crowd cheered.

The colonel made a short speech, extolling the railroad man in these words:

"He is a sturdy type of American citizen—one of the most efficient. He knows how to work individually—each man for himself—or in combination, and he knows how to obey orders."

As the colonel turned into the car an enthusiast in the crowd shouted:

"Do them up in the convention, Teddy."

Roosevelt faced the crowd and the Roosevelt smile spread over his face. He waved a Roosevelt fist and the train pulled out with the crowd yelling madly.

Roosevelt has been invited to go to the Press club when he arrives in Chicago, tonight, and he may accept.

Colonel Praises Women.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 25.—Carried on the shoulders of burly policemen from the platform of his private car to the side of the bluff overlooking the union depot, Colonel Roosevelt talked to between 5,000 and 6,000 men, women and children, who jammed the train sheds and clung to points of vantage on the roof of the station or along the hillside.

When the policemen set him down upon a dry-goods box, the colonel balanced himself gingerly, flashed one of his broad smiles, teeth and all, and then looked about for a place of deposit his famous slouch hat. Seeing a lad near the improvised platform, the former president placed his hat on the head of a dirty faced newsboy.

As soon as Chief of Police Kohler, who stood on the box beside him, had stilled the cheering, Roosevelt launchd into his extemporaneous speech.

"Fundamentally, we are all the same people," he said. "The average American is a pretty good fellow, but his wife is a whole lot better fellow.

"I am not prepared to make a speech. I only want to say I am glad for your welcome, and happy to be here among my own people, African lions to the contrary.

"I stand for the poor man every time I stand for him as long as he is right. I am against the poor man when he is wrong. I stand for a square deal to every man, rich or poor. If he is right he deserves justice and square treatment. If he is wrong, he deserves to be punished for it."

As he concluded his talk, the crowd on the hillside yelled for "more speech." Turning to them, he shouted: "You have had enough," and, then, escorted by a cordon of police, climbed down off the box and walked toward his car, chatting with Chief Kohler. A number of admirers came to the platform of the private car to shake the Roosevelt hand and exchange greetings.

The colonel remained on the plaform, waving his hat, as the train pulled out of the shed on the trip to Chicago.

Admires Baby Crop.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 25.—A great crowd, including a number of women, children and babies, gathered at Conneaut when the special train stopped at 9:41 a. m. Facing the rear platform of the colonel's car was a huge banner, bearing the single word "Delighted!"

Roosevelt grinned as it caught his eye.

"I admire all your crops," he said, "but your crop of babies is the best of all, and I do not wish to see them get typhoid fever."

As the train pulled out, an old man ran forward, grasped Roosevelt's hand, and shouted, "You make five! Lincoln, Grant, Garfield and McKinley were the others!"

As the colonel stepped onto the platform at Ashtabula, he was greeted by a little girl, gripping a Teddy bear and an American flag. The child was held up by a six-foot policeman.

"It's a fine combination!" laughed Roosevelt, "and I am glad to see that it is upheld by the majesty of the law."

"Ohio always does herself proud," Roosevelt went on. "When I speak to a body like this, I am inspired by the essential individuality of our people. East and West and here in the center of the country the American citizen is a good citizen.

"I am always distrustful of the man," he concluded, "who wants to reform the whole state and hasn't enough to support his own family."

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Shupp and son, Richard, of the Garden City pike, have returned from a week's visit with friends and relatives at Bucyrus. While there, they attended the Shupp-Miller reunion, held last Thursday.

W. C. T. U. MEETS IN COUNTY CONVENTION

In the Memorial M. E. Church at Caledonia.

PROGRAM PLEASES TEMPERANCE WOMEN

Mrs. Belle Roberts, of Marion, Is Chosen President—Banquet Served by Caledonia Workers—Chief Address Is Made at the Evening Session by Mrs. Flatter.

Caledonia, O., Aug. 25.—[Special.]—The annual county convention of the Women's Christian Temperance union was held at Memorial M. E. church, Wednesday afternoon and evening. Members and representatives of the different unions in the county and the Ohio convention speaker, Mrs. Carrie Flatter, of Osborne, Green county, were present. Mrs. Belle Roberts, of Marion, county president, had charge of the meeting. After a formal greeting the session opened with a song, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." The devotional exercises were followed by an address of welcome by Rev. James Gray. Mrs. Eva Fletcher, of Marion, gave the response in a very pleasing manner.

The roll call of general officers, vice presidents and department superintendents was next in order. Mrs. Stella Messenger, Mrs. Edith Main and Mrs. Mary Jennings were appointed as a committee on resolutions and courtesies to report at the evening session.

The reports of the various departments were then made and duly accepted, after which the treasurer, Mrs Dillworth, of Marion, gave a report of the financial standing of the different unions. Mrs. Estella Neal favored the assembly with a beautiful solo, "Shall Rum or Righteousness Prevail," after which Miss Eunice Main, of Prospect, gave a recitation.

Mrs. Flaater then gave the members some useful hints and suggestions, and answered questions which were propounded.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Mrs. Belle Roberts, of Marion, president; Mrs. Mary Jennings, vice president; Mrs. Edith Main, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Book, recording secretary, and Mrs. Stella Messenger, treasurer.

After a song, "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone?" the meeting was adjourned.

The local union then entertained the guests in the church parlors, where supper was also served.

The Evening Session.

The evening session was opened with a song, after which the devotional exercises were led by Mrs. James Gray. The minutes of the afternoon session were read by Mrs. Maude Makever.

The following members were appointed as chairmen of the various committees:

Mrs. Williams, of Green Camp, social purity; Mrs. John Crowley, of Marion, juvenile; Mrs. Maggie Griffith, of Prospect, evangelistic; Mrs. George Ault, of Caledonia, antinarcotics; Mrs. Rev. McCleary, of Marion, Sunday-school work; Mrs. Myra Lee, of Marion, mothers' meetings; Mrs. Eva Fletcher, parliamentary usage; Mrs. Stella Messenger, literature and press; Mrs. R. C. Dugan, temperance and labor; Mrs. Maude Makeever, franchise department; Mrs. J. E. Baker, medical temperance; Mrs. O. W. Medlam, flower mission at infirmary, and Mrs. Mattie Smith, social meetings.

Miss Coral Douce delivered a recitation in her usual pleasing manner, and Mrs. Mabel Garberson sang "I Am a Pilgrim."

The chairman then introduced the speaker of the evening, Mrs. Carrie Flatter She took for the subject of her address, "The Square Deal." She said that the W. C. T. U. is an organized body of mother love and its duty was to give to the child, boy or girl, a square deal in life. It does not mean so much in the political or industrial world as in the moral issues of the day.

"It is the duty of this organization," the speaker continued, "to educate the people and show to them, not the real danger which lurks behind the open saloon, but also to teach them how to eradicate the evil. Unhappy homes can not give the children a square deal in life. The W C. T. U. stands against the saloon, because it intrudes into the home, breaks up the happy family and robs the children, and here is where the mother love objects. That is the main reason for its organization, to protect the young and to stand out in an unbroken line against the iniquitous business. The first important essential in a square deal to the child is to teach it obedience, for this is not only the basic principal of model childhood, but also of a loyal government as well Obedience must be taught in early childhood and the rules of the home life must be vigorously enforced It is not just to the child to allow it to rule the home until it attains the age of five or six years then expect it to become a docile, obedient citizen. A formulated code of rules should be strictly obeyed in the home by the child or corporal punishment be inflicted to teach perfect obeyance.

"Another great evil which needs the ceaseless vigilance of the W. C. T. U. is the white slave traffic. One billion dollars are annually expended to carry on this infamous and disastrous business. Girls souls are bartered for a few paltry dollars. Can we afford to stand idly by and see our daughters and friends sold into this licentious slaughter and not lift a hand to save them? Daily, girls are led to ruin by an organized gang of men and women to seek only to satisfy their moral depravity and greed of money. We stand as a band to fight unceasing warfare against this cruel wrong.

"This union also stands against the use and sale of narcotics in any form, teaching that the appetite for tobacco is also injurious to health and mind. The only means by which women can better conditions is by securing equal rights at the polls and voting into office men who will make clean laws and enforce them The enforcement of many of our laws, would prove a betterment, but this is often sadly neglected to the sorrow of the mother and the family she has reared. Seek for greater numbers in this organized band, and use all the energy possible to stand up for all that is pure, good and elevating."

Mrs. Flatter's talk was a rare treat, full of good ideas and instructive sentiments and was greatly appreciated. It was followed by the temperance doxology and the benediction by Rev. James Gray.

THE PRICE-TIMSON FAMILIES GATHER

For a Family Reunion at Price Home, South of Martel.

Martel, O., Aug. 25.—[Special.]—The Price-Timson family reunion was held, Saturday, at the home of Thomas Price, south of town, there being about 125 present. A very enjoyable day was spent. Each family took a well-filled basket, and at noon a sumptuous picnic dinner was enjoyed, after which the afternoon was spent with singing and various social diversions. Miss Edna Price, of Galion, delighted those present with a number of readings, and Rev. James Gray, of Caledonia, delivered a very interesting address. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Hershel Price, of Galion, president; Connard Clouse, vice president; Mrs. Dell Scott, of New Winchester, secretary, and Jacob Haney, treasurer. The next reunion will be held the third Saturday in August next, on the Caledonia school lawn. Those present from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Price and daughter, Edna, of Galion; Mrs. Sydney Price and daughter, Lois, of Ada; Mr. and Mrs. William I. Price and son, Milroy, of Bucyrus; Charles Decker, of Columbus, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Liley, of Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Weidemaier and son, Glenwood, of Marion, visited relatives in this village from Wednesday until Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Mathews entertained Saturday and Sunday, Mrs. Anna Blue, Mss Hazel Clark and Samuel Bader and son, Nicholas, of Marion.

Miss Clara Crock, who is employed at Shelby, returned to that place, Sunday, after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Crock, west of town.

Misses Luella Early and Bessie Meade, of Marion, visited relatives and friends, here, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Edith Ettinger returned to her home in Mansfield, Sunday, after a pleasant visit with relatives east of town.

Delphos Dorian, of Chicago Junction, was a guest at the John Shumaker home from Saturday until Monday.

Among those who went on the excursion to Toledo, Sunday, from this place were Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Downs, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Spurlock, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Winch, Mrs. Dora Winch, Mrs. Cassie Earley and John Sulser.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weidemaier, of Marion, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Weidemaier in this village, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. G. J Heileman and daughter, Hazel, are making an extended visit with relatives at Bucyrus.

Mr. and Mrs. John Neff entertained during the past week the following guests: Mrs. Charles McKinstry and son, Thomas, of Iberia, Mrs. Samuel Neff and daughter, Marion, of Bucprus; Mrs. Theodore Shotwell, of Detroit, Mrs. Samuel Deal, of Fremont; Misses Waive, Tanner and Phoebe McKinstry, of Marion; Miss Hildegard Boch, of Galion, and Mrs. James McKinstry and two sons.

Wesley Burton is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lewis Winbeigler, of Galion, this week.

Miss Dayse and Hattie Markey and B. Gayle Clouse are attending the teachers' institute at Mt. Gilead, this week.

Mrs. Wesley Neff and children, of Bucyrus, were guests at the John and William Neff homes, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. C. G. Wissinger visited at the W. F. Hurr home in Marion, from Thursday until Monday.

Misses Lenna Neff and Belle Haney and Van Watts are attending the teachers' institute at Marion.

The Sunday-schools of Tully township held their annual picnic at Maple Grove, Thursday. A fine program was rendered and much enjoyed by the large crowd in attendance.

Miss Edna Hurr and S. C. Hurr, of Marion, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Braden, Thursday.

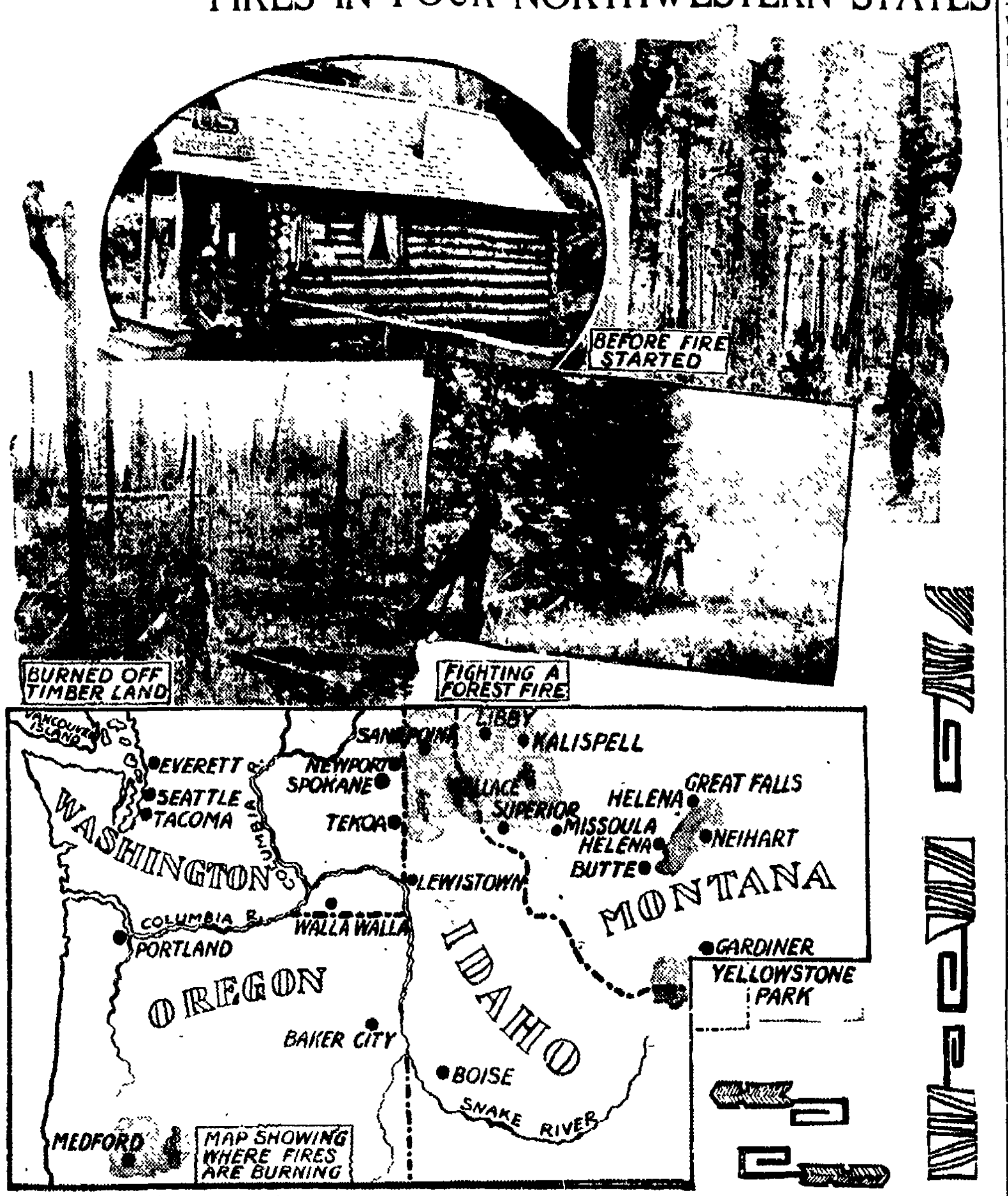
William Lindsey spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clifford Seckel, in Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Spiece visited friends in Marion, Monday.

Charles Decker, of Columbus, was the guest of Glen Burton, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Weirick are the parents of a son born, Tuesday.

WHOLE TOWNS DESTROYED BY FOREST FIRES IN FOUR NORTHWESTERN STATES



Spokane, Wash, Aug. 25.—In four states of the northwest great forest fires are raging, in which millions of dollars' worth of property have been destroyed, to say nothing of scores of persons believed to have burned to death. The area burned over embraces more land than the states of Vermont, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and New Jersey. A half dozen towns have been literally wiped off the map, and dozens more are imperiled. Governor Norris, of Montana, has left the capital and gone to Libby to take personal charge of the combat against the flames. Previous to his departure he received repeated calls for more troops from the different military reservations of the state, but he decided to take no action on the various petitions until he has made a personal investigation of the situation. Flames are raging near the eastern limits of Yellowstone park, and to the northeast the town of Neihart has been abandoned. Great Falls and Helena are within a few miles of the threatening blaze, and farther west Missoula is housing thousands of refugees from the burned districts. The famous Coeur d'Alene district, the scene of so many strikes, is devastated Many of the most valuable mining properties have been destroyed besides the towns of Wallace, Burke, Gem, Mullen and several smaller places In southern Oregon fires are destroying great stretches of timber within the Klamath and Crater Lake reservations, and even eastern Oregon is having its share of trouble with fire

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE PASSED

On Deaths of Three Christians of Lutheran Church.

Since it has pleased the Lord of life and death to remove from our midst a faithful member of our Lutheran Ladies' society, Mrs Jacobs, the mother of several of our members, Mrs. Zachman, and the husband of one of our members, Mr. Jacob D. Lust, be it

Resolved, That we have lost three dear friends and sincere fellow-Christians.

Resolved, That we thank God for the good done by them during their earthly lifetime.

Resolved, That we express our cordial sympathy for the mourning relatives and commend them to the *loving care of our God and Savior.*

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the daily papers and in the church bulletin

By order of the Ladies' society.

Mrs J Peuser,
Mrs. Shillinger,
Anna Schoenlaub,
Committee.

TWO REUNIONS UP AT LINCOLN PARK

Underwood and Cook-Hamilton Families Gather.

Two family reunions were held at Lincoln park. Thursday—the third annual reunion of the Cook-Hamilton family and the first annual reunion of the Underwood family. Over one hundred people were in attendance at the first-named reunion, and among the out-of-town guests are Benjamin Bowser, Nathan Scofield, W. L. Van Schoek, LeRoy Dobyns, D. H Hamilton, of Hilliard; C. H. Sutton, of La Rue, and Mr. and Mrs. H G. Lehman, of Mt. Gilead

At the Underwood family reunion a hundred *people* were in attendtown were Mr. and Mrs Henry Barnes, of Shawtown, and Miss Gladys Swepets, of Chillicothe.

Thursday afternoon also the two orders of the American Insurance picnicked at the park, and the popular place was crowded.

Miss Ora Richards, of Memphis, Tennessee, is visiting her father, James Richards, of north Greenwood street, and other relatives in the city.

WEDDING CELEBRATED OVER AT RICHWOOD

Mrs. Maggie Hard Becomes Mrs. Thomas Chapman.

CEREMONY AT THE HOME OF BRIDE

Richwood Citizen of Ninety-Two Celebrates His Birthday—Baptist Association Is Holding Its Annual Meeting—A Thrilling Runaway Over in Union County.

Richwood, O., Aug. 25.—[Special.]—A quiet wedding took place Tuesday evening, when Mrs Maggie Hard was united in marriage to Mr. Thomas B Chapman, the ceremony being performed by Rev. L. S. Colborn, at the bride's home on west Ottawa street. Both are well and favorably known in Richwood, having lived here for years. The wedding took place at 6 o'clock, in the presence of the following relatives Mr and Mrs James Maddex, Mr and Mrs J G Smith and *Mrs Daisy* Black Mr and Mrs. Chapman will reside in Richwood.

Edward B Fawn, the oldest man in Richwood and northern Union county, celebrated his ninety-second birthday anniversary, Wednesday, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. S Winters, of south Franklin street, with whom he makes his home The aged man has lived in Richwood for over fifty years. He is in reasonably good health for one of his years

Mrs Hylas Moore went to Bellefontaine, Saturday, to visit a few days with relatives

Richwood is well represented at the forty-sixth annual meeting of the Union county teachers' institute in session at Marysville this week. A fine program is being rendered, in charge of the following instructors Dr. M V O'Shea, of the University of Wisconsin, C W. Cookson, superintendent of the schools at Troy, Ohio; Mrs Francis G. Richard, of Miami university The teachers from Richwood and Claiborne township in attendance are Superintendent D E Black, Miss Jessie Jones, Mrs. Ger*trude Millar*, Miss *Marie* Curry, Miss Hazel Husted, Miss Georgeanne Peet, Miss Ethel Kinney, Miss Ruth Hewitt, Miss Marion Fisher, Miss Edith McPherson, Miss Zaidee Chandler, Miss Lelah Kinney, Messrs F S Cheney and George Sidle.

The Mad River Baptist association is holding its annual meeting at Springdale Baptist church, southeast of Magnetic Springs, this week The introductory sermon was delivered, Thursday morning, by Rev. L S Colborn, of Richwood. The following are delegates from the local Baptist church. David Kyle, C. F. Cox, Mrs. M. Harmon, William Hayden and Miss Minnie Hayden. The association comprises Union, Delaware and Miami counties

Wiltsie Graham left, Sunday, for Ames, Iowa, to resume his studies in the Iowa state school of agriculture, having spent the summer vacation at the Graham farm, north of Richwood.

Miss Eva Shawan, of Bellefontaine, is the guest of Mrs. M. C. Miller, this week.

Mrs J W. Koch and daughter, Gladys, returned home, Wednesday, from a week's visit with relatives in Dayton.

I. B. Lanham, secretary of the Medina County Y. M. C. A. association, was the speaker at a union service held in the M. E. church in Richwood, Sunday evening Union county is the third county in the state to take up the work of a county Y M. C. A, and great enthusiasm exists here regarding the project. Monday evening twenty-five young men from here motored to Marysville to attend a banquet given by promoters of the work, speakers from different associations being present to explain the plan of organization. The publicity com*mittee here is composed* of Messrs. J. A Shipley, L. J. McCoy, C. E. Kagay and Lee Wilkins.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Stover, Ernest Stover, Miss Margaret Stover and Miss Ruth Wurtsbaugh spent Wednesday afternoon at Eagle park, Magnetic Springs, enjoying a picnic supper at the park. The affair was planned in honor of Miss Margaret Stover, of Mechanicsburg.

Mrs Samuel Bell and daughter, Gertrude, who have been the guests of the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs E. R. Cameron, for several weeks, left Monday, for their home in Webb City, Missouri

D M Tanner and family, of Columbus, were called here, Saturday, by the serious illness of Mr. Tanner's mother, Mrs. W E. Tanner. Her condition has slightly improved during the past few days.

L. J. McCoy, cashier of the First National bank is in Wilmington, this week, in attendance at the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the city

Miss Jessie Ledley went to Mingo, Saturday, to spend several days with relatives.

Mr and Mrs. F. A Martin motored to Mt Vernon, Friday, and visited with relatives until Monday.

Miss Mary Smith returned home, Monday, from Newark, where she had spent the summer with relatives

W W. Mather visited his parents, Mr and Mrs. D. D. Mather, of Columbus, during the past week

Smith Brown, accompanied by his nieces, Misses Pearl and Ada Brown, left, Sunday, for Michigan, where they will spend two weeks with relatives, visiting in Saginaw and other cities.

John Shuster left for his home in Miami, Florida, Thursday, after a visit of several weeks with his sisters, Mrs. H. J. Brooks, Mrs. William McElroy and other relatives.

Mrs. A. R. Leaverton and little daughter arrived here, Sunday night, from St Louis, to spend a few weeks with J. F. Ledley and family.

Mrs. Zella M. Warren has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Temple, near La Rue, since Sunday.

Mrs W. S. Burgoon and Mrs. Albert Sutton were visitors in Marion, Saturday.

Rev Charles Matthews, of Rochester, New York, occupied the pulpit in the Baptist church, Sunday. He is the son of Rev. N. Y. Matthews, of St Paris, a former pastor of the local Baptist church.

Miss Margaret Stover, of Mechanicsburg, is the guest of her brother, Rev. M. R. Stover, and family.

Mrs. J W. Adair, of Marion, was the guest of Dr. L. L Street and family, Friday.

Mr and Mrs B. S Rust, of Ashtabula, who spent the past four weeks with the latter's mother, Mrs. Minerva Linder, returned to their home, Monday, making the trip in their touring car.

Don McCombs, of Toledo, visited from Sunday until Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCombs.

W. H. Lenox, of Marion, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Jason Case, during the past week.

The annual reunion of the Hoskins family was held, Saturday, at Eagle park, Magnetic Springs Nearly fifty of the members of the family were in attendance. Those present from Richwood were: Mrs. J. R. Hoskins, Mrs. Emma Jolliff, Miss Ruth Jolliff, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Case On their way home Mr. and Mrs. Case, who drove to the park in their auto, ran into a ditch near the cemetery, but they were fortunately uninjured.

Miss Agnes Millar is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs E. P. Houghton, of Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Case returned home, Sunday, from Galion, to which city Mrs. Case was called several days ago by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Agnes Meuser.

Henry Mitchell arrived here Friday from Anderson, Indiana, and was the guest until Tuesday of his brother, John Mitchell, and wife. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell entertained the following relatives at dinner: John DeTurk and daughter, Miss Grace DeTurk, of Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeTurk and sons, Edward and Robert, of Richwood

Miss Eva Holden began the erection, Monday, of a new dwelling on Beatty avenue, Alvah Cook being the contractor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Roberts spent Sunday with relatives in Radnor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Case were in Galion, Wednesday, in attendance at the funeral of the latter's uncle, Peter Meuser, who died Monday, at Grant hospital, in Columbus. Death was due to bladder trouble.

Miss Clara Herr, who spent several weeks here with her niece, Mrs. O. L. Mather, left, Tuesday, for Cleveland for a short visit Miss Herr was a former art instructor in the Richwood schools and will be employed in a similar capacity in the public schools of Ashland, this year.

Miss Olive Sinkey, who was called here from Columbus five weeks ago, by the illness of her mother, Mrs. S. E. Sinkey, returned to that city Tuesday.

Mrs. James Monroe, of west Bomford street, has been seriously ill for several days.

Mrs. Mary Rodgers has returned home from Cleveland, where she spent several days with her son, Ray Rodgers, and wife.

H. E. Wynegar, of Columbus, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs William Dyal.

Messrs. Earl and Elzie Davis are in Kenton, this week.

The annual picnic of the Presbyterian Sunday school was held at Eagle park, Magnetic Springs, Wednesday, the day proving a very delightful one to all.

Miss Glenna Miller, who spent the past two months in Kansas City, has returned home. She was accompanied to Richwood by her sister, Mrs. D. E. Jenkins, who will spend a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Miller.

Miss Lena Beem left, Monday, for Mansfield, Illinois, where she is employed as High school teacher in the public schools.

Mrs. Belle White was called to Marion, Monday, by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Baldwin.

Rev. T. P. James, of Van Wert, has been the guest of his daughter, Mrs. D. B. Whitehead, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Y. Arthur visited relatives in Ashtabula and Cleveland, during the past week, making the trip in their auto.

Miss Maude Cartmell, of West Mansfield, has been the guest of Miss Anna Shipley, during the past week.

Miss H. A. Frantz is attending millinery openings in Cleveland and Columbus.

Mrs. Joseph Kinnikin and daughter, Irene, had an exciting experience, Monday, when their horse ran away. On their way to Richwood from their home, four miles west of here, the harness gave away, frightening the animal, which began to run. Mrs. Kinnikin and her daughter bravely sat in the buggy and tried to stop the horse, but were unable to do so until it stumbled and fell. The animal sustained severe injuries, but the occupants of the vehicle were none the worse for their unpleasant experience.

Miss Clarissa Benedict, of Evanston, Illinois, is a guest at the home of Mrs. Jane Graham, just north of Richwood.

Miss Oscie Dilsaver is in Cleveland, in attendance at the millinery openings.

Miss Laura Connell, of Columbus, spent a few days with Miss Carrie Hamilton, during the past week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Haines was called to Byhalia, a few days ago, by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Allen Haines.

E. R. Graham, of Chicago, spent Saturday and Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. Jane Graham, and was accompanied home by his wife, who spent the summer at the Graham farm, north of Richwood.

MASSILLON BOY KILLS COMPANION

A Chew of Tobacco Causes a Fatal Quarrel.

Massillon, O., Aug. 25.—As the result of a quarrel over a chew of tobacco, George Snyder, 16, shot and killed Jacob Axe, Jr., also 16. The youthful slayer then made his escape and no trace could be found of him. Chief of Police Ertle says the circumstances of the shooting point to murder, but he has not formed a definite opinion on the question.

OBITUARY.

Furniss—Friday, near Kirkpatrick, July 29, 1910, Benjamin W. Furniss, son of William J. and Sarah Furniss, died, aged forty-three years, six months and sixteen days. He was born in Pickaway county, January 13, 1867; moved to Marion county in 1881, in which county he resided until 1905, when, with his family, he moved to Allegheny county, New York, where he lived upon a farm until 1909, when he returned to Ohio. While there, he contracted a severe cold, his health failed and finally culminated in tuberculosis, of which he suffered fourteen months. After returning to Ohio, he and family resided upon the farm, where his death occurred. He united in happy marriage with Miss Florence A. Matthews, July 15, 1897. To them were born four children, Emmett, aged twelve; Hilda, ten; Raymond, nine, and Mildred, three. He was converted during the winter of 1904, and became a member of the Green Camp F. B. church, while residing in New York, he joined the M. E. church at Birdsall, No. 1. He was kind and patient during his prolonged affliction, ever submissive to the will of his Heavenly Father, gave every assurance of being ready to depart and be at peace, made several requests as regards his funeral, etc., all of which were fully complied with. His father and one sister preceded him in death. His widow, four children, aged mother, two brothers, three sisters and other more distant relatives survive. Funeral services was held at the home of death, by Rev. J. A. Sutton, of LaRue, assisted by Rev. C. R. Chilton, pastor of Kirkpatrick M. E. church, following which the body was placed in the Marion vault, from which burial was had.

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Too many people set examples that should not be hatched.

LEGAL NOTICE.

John Herr and Emma Herr his wife, residing at McCoysberrg, Jasper County, Indiana, and Charles H. Wiltsie, residing at Rochester, New York, will take notice that on the 1st day of July A. D. 1910 Fred L. Carhart filed his petition in the Common Pleas Court of Marion County, Ohio, in case Number 12752, against Arthur F. Benedict, the record-owner of real property hereinafter described, the above named parties and others, praying that all the defendants named therein, including the above named parties, be required to set up whatsoever claim they have in and to the premises hereinafter described or be forever barred: that the mortgage set forth in the plaintiff's petition be foreclosed: that the premises hereinafter described be sold free of all claims of the defendants herein and the liquidation of the plaintiff's claim as set forth in his petition: Said mortgage was given by William T. Jones and Flora R. Jones his wife to The Marion County Bank Company on lot number twelve hundred and seventy-eight (1278) in Love's first addition to the City of Marion, County of Marion, and State of Ohio, given to secure a debt on which a balance of thirteen hundred and tweny-seven dolars and forty-two cents with interest thereon from the 30th., day of June A. D. 1910 at the rate of eight per. centum per. annum, is now due and payable.

Said parties are required to answer on or before the 15th., day of October, A. D. 1910.

Fred L. Carhart, Plaintiff.
Dated at Marion, Ohio, August 23rd. 1910. 15-wk-f-6

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of John Markey, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator de bonis non of the estate of John Markey, late of Marion County, deceased.

Dated at Marion, Ohio, this 23rd day of August A. D., 1910.

Marshall Markey,
LaRue, Ohio.
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CUSTODY OF LITTLE MILDRED MAY HOUTZ

Is Given to Her Father by the Court Tuesday.

MOTHER NOT ABLE TO CARE FOR CHILD

As She Is Employed at the Silk Mill—She Readily Consents to the Annulment of the Decree, Granted at Time of Her Divorce, Giving the Child to Her.

Revoking a former court order, placing the custody of three-year-old Mildred May Houtz in the custody of her mother, Bertha M. Houtz, who obtained a divorce from Hosea F. Houtz, Judge W. E. Scofield, Tuesday afternoon, on motion of the father, gave him the custody of the baby.

The proceeding was unusual in that the mother had been given absolute custody of the child at the time of securing her divorce. At Tuesday's hearing of the motion, however, it was shown that the mother is employed at the Susquehanna Silk mills and has no home in which she may properly rear and educate the little one. She appeared in court, and consented readily to the action of the court in changing the custody of the infant from the mother to the father, who is employed by the Huber Manufacturing company.

Mrs. Houtz received a certain financial consideration from her former husband for giving her consent to a change of custody. The judge, in his order, reserved the right for her to have the child in her society every alternate Sunday after August 28.

In the partition suit of Eliza Diebold against Christena Schweinfurth and others, Judge W. E. Scofield, Tuesday afternoon, dismissed the petition on the plaintiff's own motion.

In the suit for alimony brought in the common pleas court by Florence Landgrabe against Lester Landgrabe, summons were served on the defendant, Wednesday evening. In her petition, the plaintiff sets up that they were married at LaRue, November 4, 1908, and since that time Landgrabe has failed to provide for as a husband should. She avers that she was a teacher, capable of and making $50 a month, that, after their marriage, he contributed $100 to a like sum of the defendant with which to purchase household goods. She alleges that on June 9, after disposing of the household goods, Lester Landgrabe took the proceeds, amounting to $200 or more, and deserted her. Being about to become a mother, she prays for reasonable alimony, the expense of her confinement and the maintenance of the coming child. She is represented by Attorney L. E. Myers.

Through his attorneys, Mouser & Moloney, the defendant filed his answer in the common pleas court, Thursday, setting up a general denial, aside from the marriage and her furnishing $100 towards purchasing the household goods.

The divorce proceedings brought by L. Mattie Redmon against Ira F. Redmon, was dismissed, Thursday morning, at the request of the plaintiff. The two were married less than a year ago at Windsor, Canada.

Judge W. E. Scofield appointed Harry J. Nichols guardian ad litem for the minor defendants Henry W. Hane and John J. Hane, in the suit brought by Ava C. Hane against Wilson R. Dumble, and others, the appointment being made on motion of the plaintiff. As guardian ad litem, Mr. Nichols filed an answer in the common pleas court, Thursday morning, denying all of the material allegations herein contained prejudicial to said minor defendants and asking the court to protect their rights and interests in this cause.

In the partition suit brought by Harly C. Landis against W. E. Landis and others, Judge W. E. Scofield, Thursday, appointed Fred L. Carhart guardian ad litem for Bernaldo W. Landis, a minor, with leave to answer instanter. A writ of partition was awarded, and George Martin, F. W. Warner and A. S. Sommerlott were appointed commissioners.

Judge W. E. Scofield copied thirty-six divorce cases from the docket, Thursday, which will be assigned for hearing in about two weeks.

Mrs. Bertha Houtz denies that she received any consideration, whatever, as stated in Wednesday's Star, for agreeing to the transfer of her little daughter, Mildred May, to the custody of the child's father, Hosea F. Houtz. Mrs. Houtz states that she agreed to the transfer simply because her employment made it impossible for her to care for the little one as she desired.

Before Probate Court.

Carrie, the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Smith, of Quarry street, was given a hearing before Probate Judge Spencer, Thursday, on a charge of incorrigibility and indecent conduct. The charge was made by a number of the neighbors. The judge lectured the parents of the child, and took the case under consideration.

HARVEY JOHNSON DIES AT LA RUE

He Falls a Victim to Diabetes Tuesday Night.

LaRue, O., Aug. 24.—[Special.]—Harvey Johnson, fifty-one years of age, died at his home in this village, Tuesday night at 11:30 o'clock, of diabetes and complications. He had been ill for some time, but his condition was not considered serious until within the past week.

Mr. Johnson was born and reared at this place, where he has always made his home. He was a carriage painter by trade. In recent years, he had been connected with the Joseph Slanser Lumber company. Until death, he was a member of Walter Scott Lodge, No. 214, Knights of Pythias.

Mr. Johnson is survived by his widow, three sons, Preston, Joseph and Glenn; two daughters, Neva and Lena; his mother, Mrs. Martha Johnson; one brother, C. P. Johnson, of Columbus, and a sister, Mrs. Charles Sharpe, of LaRue.

The funeral will be held, Thursday at 1:30 p. m., Rev. J. A. Sutton officiating, and will be in charge of the Knights of Pythias.

PASTEURIZED MILK DEPOTS WILL CLOSE

Strauss Says Newspaper's Attack, Is the Cause.

Berlin, Aug. 24.—Owing to the persistent attacks of the New York Herald on his milk Pasteurization ventures, Nathan Straus announced today, that he would abandon this work in New York City. Straus is now in Berlin, where he recently opened a pasteurized milk depot.

Straus said he would continue his philanthropy for the remainder of this summer, but that next year the Pasteurized milk which he had supplied at the piers and parks in New York, would be cut off and that the depots throughout the city, where bottle Pasteurized milk was supplied for babies would be closed.

FARMERS OF COUNTY HOLD A BIG PICNIC

At the Dayton Blow Grove North of LaRue.

BETWEEN 2,000 AND ,3000 WERE PRESENT

Baker's Band Is Secured To Furnish Music for the Occasion and There Were Speakers, To Entertain—A Fine Time Was Had by Picnickers.

The third annual picnic of the farmers of Marion and adjoining counties was held at the Dayton Blow grove, four miles and a half north of LaRue, Wednesday. It is estimated that between 2,000 and 3,000 people were in attendance, the crowd breaking all records of Dayton Blow gatherings.

Early Wednesday, farmers from all parts of the county and many from Hardin and Wyandot counties started in carriages, buggies, wagons and automobiles for the beautiful grove, where at the noon hour a mammoth picnic dinner was served. It was field day for the Marion county candidates for office. Practically every candidate in the county put in his appearance and shook hands with the voters.

Baker's band from this city enlivened things with its stirring airs, and speeches were made by Judge W. E. Scofield, Colonel George B. Christian and Attorney Fred W. Warner. A program of recitations and songs was also enjoyed.

The speakers' stand was strikingly decorated with fruits and various products of the farm.

In point of attendance, the picnic surpassed the expectations of the officers of the association, but the big grove was sufficient to accommodate all who attended, and everybody seemed happy for attending.

Although this is an extremely busy season with the farmers, they laid aside the cares of the farm for the day, and went to the grove for an outing with their families. It was an event that will not soon be forgotten.

THE LITTLE ONES ENJOY EXCURSION

Have a Merry Outing at Cedar Point Wednesday.

Twenty-four of the children of the Waddel Children's home enjoyed the excursion to Cedar Point, Wednesday. The children were in charge of Superintendent and Mrs. W. F. Hurr, of the home, and Miss Waddell and Miss Loyer, governesses. A special car was reserved for the children and those attending them.

It was a rare treat for the children, only three of whom had ever been at the resort, while many had never had a train ride and the majority never saw a lake. At the "Point," the children enjoyed a picnic dinner, and during the afternoon were taken in bathing and on the merry-go-round and in various places of amusement. Not an accident occurred to mar the pleasures of the trip.

Mrs. A. W. Kessler and daughter, Mildred, of Youngstown, are visiting at the G. M. Stieber home on east Church street.

CARMINE AND BOLANDER TO BE GIVEN CERTIFICATES

Will Be Signed by Majority of Examining Board.

LONGBON PROTESTS MOST VEHEMENTLY

The Certificates Are Granted by Bowen and Clark on the County Examination, for which the Questions Are Prepared by State—One in Sixteen Passes.

After sustaining Examiner W. A. Longbon in the failing grades given by him to A. N. Carmine and Thomas E. Bolander, the board of city school examiners, Tuesday night, on the strength of the fact that the two men elected to principalships held county certificates, decided by a majority vote to issue to them one-year city school certificates. Any other applicant failed by Examiner Longbon in the recent city examination, provided he or she holds a county certificate, will be granted a city certificate for one year, it was announced today.

On questions prepared by the state school commissioner in the last county examination, Messrs. Carmine and Bolander received very high grades in history and literature, in which branches they were failed by Examiner Longbon in the city school examination. In the county examination, on questions prepared by the state, Mr. Carmine received grades of ninety-five and ninety-four, respectively, in literature and history, while Mr. Bolander received grades of ninety-seven and ninety-four in literature and history.

In reviewing the manuscripts, Examiners John H. Clark and T. C. Bowen agreed that both Messrs. Carmine and Bolander had failed, and no changes were made in the grades, although Examiner Longbon was told that his questions in history and literature were pretty severe.

The manuscripts of Miss Elizabeth Rexroth and Miss Margaret Hecker were also examined. These were the only two manuscripts, outside of those of Messrs. Carmine and Bolander, Examiner Longbon would bring to the meeting. Examiners Clark and Bowen wanted the manuscripts of the entire number examined by Longbon for purposes of comparison, but Longbon refused to bring other manuscripts aside from the manuscripts of the two whom he had failed, and the two whom he had passed, claiming that, under the law, he could not be compelled to do so.

It was discovered at Tuesday *night's meeting of the whole board* of examiners that only one out of the sixteen examined by Longbon had passed instead of two. That one is Miss Rexroth, who received barely passing grades in history and literature. Miss Hecker failed. Examiner Longbon had given her a passing grade of sixty-five in history. He admitted to his fellow-examiners that this grade was too high, and it was cut down to a failure. Miss Rexroth is now the only one of the sixteen examined by Longbon entitled to a certificate by reason of having passed.

Believing Messrs. Carmine and Bolander to be capable teachers, because of the fact that they had passed the county examinations with such excellent grades, although they did not mention it, Examiners Clark and Bowen decided that both were entitled to one-year certificates to teach in the city schools. Examiner Longbon protested vehemently against issuing one-year certificates to them, and declared he would not sign them. However, Examiners Clark and Bowen were in favor of issuing one-year certificates to all applicants holding county certificates who had been failed in the city examination by Examiner Longbon, and they voted to that effect.

Certificates granting them the right to teach in the Marion public *schools for a period of one year will* now be given to Messrs. Carmine and Bolander. These certificates will be signed by Examiners Clark and Bowen, a majority of the board of city school examiners, and will be just as valid as if the gentlemen holding them had been passed by Examiner Longbon.

SINKING FUND TRUSTEES MEET

Decide To Sell Bonds To Make Good Reduced Levy.

At a regular meeting of the sinking fund trustees, Tuesday night, it was decided to dispose of bonds amounting to $4,000 in order to meet the deficiency in the sinking fund levy, which was cut down from five to four mills. The bonds, which are for various city improvements, will be sold by the trustees, Tuesday, September 27. They have an average life of only three years, and bear interest at the rate of four per cent.

The bonds were bought by the sinking fund trustees when it had some money on hand with a view to saving the city the interest of four per cent., but the reduction of the levy by the council means that this can not now be done.

At a meeting of the Marion County Bill Picnic association, Tuesday evening, it was decided to give every "Bill" a large button badge, bearing the salutation, "Hello, Bill!" and the date of the picnic, which will be held at the fairground, Labor day. Various sub-committees were appointed.

FAMILY REUNIONS AT LINCOLN PARK

Holverstott and Martin and Miller Families Gather.

The third annual reunion of the Holverstott family was held at Lincoln park Wednesday. Over 100 people were in attendance. The day was spent with various diversions incident to such occasions. Among the relatives in attendance from out of town are E. S. Masters and W. G. LaFever, of Mt. Gilead, Miss Nancy Carr, of Kenton; Julia and Hazel Holverstott, of Pittsburg; Mrs. Linsday and daughter, of Chesterfield and the Cordrey family of Bellefontaine.

The tenth annual reunion of the Henry Martin and Jacob Miller families was held Wednesday at Lincoln park, about seventy-five of the descendants of the families being present. The morning was passed in extending greetings, and at the *noon hour an elaborate dinner* was served.

Among the out-of-town relatives were Mrs. Mead, of Findlay; Mrs. Mead of Tiffin and Mrs. Noles, of Caledonia.

THE FUNERAL OF OTTO B. SAITER

Is Held at the Home of His Mother Tuesday Afternoon.

The remans of the late Otto B. Saiter, who died at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, Monday, were brought to this city, Tuesday morning, at 6 o'clock, and taken to the home of his mother, Mrs. Samuel Saiter, of south Main street, from whose residence the funeral was held at 3 p. m. The services were in charge of Rev. J. P. Currin, pastor of the First Baptist church. Burial was made in the Marion cemetery.

Those attending the funeral from a distance were W. S. Saiter, of Chicago, a brother of the deceased, and Charles Keller, of Huntington, Indiana.

VERY QUEER FIND AT THE CAMPBELL HOME

Monster Vertabra Found Up There Thursday Morning.

HOW IT CAME IS DECIDED MYSTERY

Supposedly It Is Stolen Out of Some Museum and the Thief, Tiring of It Leaves It at the Campbell Home. From Just What Age It Comes Is Unknown.

"Come up here and tell us what this thing is," was the substance of a request made over the phone to Principal K. H. Marshall, of the Marion High school, Thursday.

Hurrying to the Ezra Campbell home, near Lincoln park, whence the message had come, Mr. Marshall found a huge joint in the vertebrae *of what appears to have* been a monster reptile now extinct, a specimen of the rarest type and of high value to the student. It had been found in the yard at the Campbell home by the side of the house during the morning, and to all appearances had been left there during the night by some person, who doubtless had taken it from a museum, but who was unable to dispose of it. Residents about the Campbell home declare they never before saw it, and Mr. Campbell declares that it was not on his premises Wednesday.

An examination made by Mr. Marshall showed that the specimen had probably been taken from a museum and had been removed from a wooden pedestal. A huge joint, measuring thirteen and a half inches in its longest diameter on one side and a half inch less on the other and nine inches deep, with a protrusion, measuring five and a half inches, it is one of the rarest specimens of the vertebrae of the mammals of an early age, that may be found in any of the museums of today. Cutting into it with a knife, one readily discovers that it is wholly solid bone, and there can be no question as to the fact that it is really a part in the skeleton of some enormously-developed animal, such as those found in the very early ages of the world, of which history tells but *comparatively* little.

The vertebra was taken by Mr. Marshall to the High school building, and there a number of the teachers who are attending the institute being held there, examined it, but were puzzled in determining the exact age of which it is a type.

The curio is remarkably clean and well preserved, and there is every reason to believe, according to Mr. Marshall, that it had been stolen from some school or museum and that the thief, wearying of it, left it on the Campbell premises.

It will be returned to Mr. Campbell unless word is received regarding the owners.

Gets a Promotion.

James DeWolfe, of Columbus, a former resident of Marion and a brother of S. E. DeWolfe, of this city, who has been sales manager of the New Pittsburg Coal company, will go to Detroit, September 1, and take charge of the sales of the Pittsburg and New Pittsburg Coal companies in the state of Michigan. The promotion carries a decided advance in the matter of salary.

OPERATOR COCHRUN IS HELD UP TUESDAY NIGHT

Relieved of Pocketbook Containing $5.40 and a Pass.

BY THREE MEN IN WEST END YARDS

William Massie Arrested for Kicking His Wife in the Breast with a Peg Leg—His Father-in-Law Swears Out Warrant for His Arrest.

F. W. Cochrun, the third trick operator at the Erie M J tower, was the victim of three hold-up men shortly after 8 o'clock, Tuesday night, and relieved of his pocketbook containing $5.40 and a railroad pass, No. 34126, in his favor.

Cochrun was enroute to work and was walking down the tracks in the yards when he was confronted by the men and ordered to throw up his hands. While one man covered him with a gun, the other two went through his pockets and relieved him of his valuables. Cochrun did not report the hold-up to the police until next morning, and it is believed the trio of hold-up men left the city after doing the job. Cochrun had but a slight description of the fellows, one being tall, another medium and the other short. He believes they were foreigners.

The pass taken from Cochrun was turned over to an employe at the union station Wednesday by a young fellow who claimed to have found it. Acting Chief Cusic instructed the employe to hold the man until an officer could look him over and communicate with him, but the fellow was allowed to go.

William "Peg" Massie, of Meadow street, is being held at the city prison, and may have to answer to some serious charges. Massie was arrested, Tuesday evening, by Officer Wilhelm on complaint of his father-in-law, William Porter. Last Sunday Massie had trouble with his wife over the opening of some mail that belonged to Porter, her father. As a result of the trouble, Massie knocked his wife down and then kicked her in the breast with his wooden leg.

Since the assault, his wife has been under the care of a doctor. She was kicked over the left lung and her condition is quite serious, although she was reported much better Wednesday. Porter had no knowledge of the trouble until Tuesday, and he at once laid in complaint.

Massie is also accused of opening mail which was addressed to Porter, the father of his wife. When Porter called on the city solicitor Wednesday, he was directed to see the postmaster in case he wished to take up the charge of unlawfully opening another's mail, and this may be taken up by the federal authorities. In case it is Massie will probably land in the penitentiary.

Massie has had quite a police record during the past several years. He has been before the mayor on several occasions for various offenses, but always managed to escape with a light punishment because of his crippled condition.

CALVARY YOUNG PEOPLE'S ALLIANCE

Holds Meeting at the Home of Joseph Klinefelter.

A meeting of the Young People's Alliance of the Calvary Evangelical church was held at the Joseph Klinefelter home on south High street, Tuesday evening. There was a good attendance.

After the transaction of business, when various matters of a routine nature were given attention, a musical program was given. A violin and piano duet was rendered by Earl and Ermel Ruhlman, and a trio composed of Sarah Myers, Eva Berringer and Clara Klinefelter rendered a selection. Eva Berringer and Clara Klinefelter also gave recitations. After the program, watermelon was served on the lawn, and the evening was enjoyably passed. The lawn was decorated with lanterns.

The next meeting will be held the first Tuesday of October.

LITTLE ONES GO TO CEDAR POINT

Sent There on Proceeds of Lodge Baseball Games.

A special coach on the regular morning train of the Pennsylvania to Cedar Point, Wednesday, carried about forty children, among them being those of the Waddel Children's home, who were being taken for a day's outing to Cedar Point by the Elks and the Knights of Pythias with the proceeds of the ball game, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hurr accompanied the little ones.

Right Hand Mashed.

Elmer Graham, an employe at the Ohio & Western Lime company, had his right hand badly mashed and lacerated, Tuesday, as the result of having the member caught between the bumpers of two cars in making a coupling at the plant. He was taken to the office of Dr. S. W. Mattox, where the necessary surgical attention was rendered.

JOHN L. WOOD IS FOUND DEAD IN BED

At His Home West of Prospect, Tuesday Night.

Prospect, O., Aug. 24.—[Special.]—John L. Wood, aged fifty-five years, residing three miles west of Prospect, was found dead in the yard of his home, Tuesday evening, about 5 o'clock. The members of his family were away, and Mr. Wood was sitting in his chair in the yard, whittling a stick when he suffered a stroke of heart trouble, which caused his death. He was found with his knife in one hand and the small stick in the other. The deceased leaves a widow, six daughters and one son, Mrs. Anna Furniss, of Marion, being one of the daughters.

The funeral will be held from the residence, Thursday morning, and interment will be made in the Lythopolis cemetery, south of Columbus.

FINE COWS BRING SUPERB PRICES

Six Holsteins Sold to a Lima Man for $1,350.

Green & Behner, owners of the Pleasant Dale stock farm, Tuesday, sold six Holstein cows to Charles L. Sprague, of Lima, for $1,350. This is an average price of $225 each, and one of the best stock sales that has been made in the county for a long time.

Hand Is Lacerated.

George Edwards, an employe of the Marion Steam Shovel company, had the thumb of his left hand very badly lacerated in an accident while at work about 10 o'clock, Wednesday. The flesh was very badly torn, and it was necessary to amputate the member at the first joint.

Go to Kenton.

A number of old soldiers of the county went to the Hardin county fair at Kenton, Wednesday. That was old soldiers' day at the fair. Among those going from this city were S. N. Titus, J. B. King and John Carpenter.

LODGE GOAT NOT ACTIVE JUST NOW

Marion Lodge, No. 402, Knights of Pythias.

HOLDS STAG SOCIAL TUESDAY EVENING

Lime City Council Holds a Regular Session—The Daughters of America Hold a Meeting—Arrangements Made for Trip of Lodge Out of the City Next Week.

A very enjoyable stag social was given by Marion Lodge, No. 402, Knights of Pythias, Tuesday night. Cards and other games were played until a late hour. A buffet lunch was served. The committee on arrangements was composed of U. G. Lawrence, Harry Wires and John Cleveland.

Considerable business of the routine order was transacted at a well-attended meeting of Lime City Council, No. 206, Jr., O. U. A. M., held Tuesday evening. Arrangements were made for a special meeting to be held next Tuesday evening for the purpose of conferring the degree on a class of candidates. A watermelon social will follow the meeting.

At a called meeting of the Daughters of America, Tuesday night, Mrs. S. J. Edsell was elected representative to the state convention to be held at Cedar Point in September. The other representative is Mrs. William S. Staley. The next regular meeting will be held Tuesday night.

Only the routine business was transacted at the regular meeting of Sosnowski Rebekah lodge, held *Tuesday evening. The attendance* was quite large, and arrangements were made to attend the district convention to be held at Green Camp next Tuesday.

A corn bake was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Andrews, of Fairground street, Wednesday evening, for the members of Marion camp of Spanish War veterans and the Betsy Ross auxiliary, and their families.

A company of about fifty was present and the affair, as a whole, proved a shining success.

Supper was served on a large table in the front lawn and was a bounteous affair, the cornpone being done to a finish, and the accompanying side dishes were equally relished. The lawn was lighted with lanterns, and everybody had a fine time.

Arrangements were made to hold the next meeting in the hall, September 9.

Ithamar Court, No. 8, Tribe of Ben Hur, held a well-attended meeting, Wednesday evening, and aside from transacting buisness of the routine order, arrangements were made for a picnic to be held at Lincoln park on August 31. The next regular meeting of the lodge will be held the second Wednesday in September.

The regular meeting of the Home Guards, Wednesday evening, was well attended, and aside from the routine business one candidate was balloted on.

W. B. EVERETT IS SUDDENLY CALLED

Death Comes to Him at His Farm Wednesday Afternoon.

HEAT AND OVEREXERTION AFFECTS WEAK HEART

A Faithful Member of the Epworth M. E. Church and an Active Member of Marion Lodge No. 402, Knights of Pythias, Funeral Is Held Friday.

W. B. Everett, of south Vine street, died very suddenly of heart trouble, at his farm, two miles northeast of Big Island, at 4:20 Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Everett, who for the past three years has suffered from heart trouble, was in apparently his usual health when he drove to his farm, early Wednesday morning, to help his tenant, Colonel Messenger, thresh. At dinner, Mr. Everett ate a hearty meal, and soon after leaving the house, spoke of how well he felt. About 4 o'clock he complained of feeling badly, and sat down on some grain sacks in the barn, where he was stricken about twenty minutes later. Dr. J. W. Jolly, of Morral, was hastily summoned, but Mr. Everett was dead when he arrived. The Postle & Curtis ambulance was called, and the remains were brought to this city and taken to the home on Vine street.

About a month ago, Mr. Everett had suffered considerably from his heart, and it is supposed that the heat and overexertion brought on *the attack, which caused his death.*

Mr. Everett was born on the old Everett homestead, seven miles northwest of this city, sixty-three years ago. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Everett, the former deceased, and was the eldest of seven children. He was united in marriage to Mrs. Minnie M. Crabb, of Quaker City, October 2, 1895. He had always resided in this county, and for many years had lived in this city. He served Marion township as trustee for two years, but spent most of his later years looking after his farm, which is a part of the Everett homestead, and his duties as treasurer of the Moline Lime, Stone & Cement company, of Moline, Kansas. He was a faithful and active member of Epworth M. E. church, and a member of Marion Lodge, No. 402, Knights of Pythias.

The deceased was a good Christian man, a loving husband and a loyal friend. He was very well known and highly respected.

Aside from his widow, his aged mother and three brothers, survive. The brothers are G. Taylor Everett, of Meeker; Randolph Everett, of Huntington, West Virginia, and Edward T. Everett, who lives with his mother on Mary street.

The funeral was held from the late home, Friday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, and was in charge of the Knights of Pythias lodge. Rev. D. H. Bailey officiated. The remains were laid to rest in the Marion cemetery.

BOLD ATTEMPT AT HOLD UP TUESDAY

Two Marionites Chased by Gang at Newman's Bridge.

A bold attempt was made to hold up John Bingham and his partner, while they were enroute home from Prospect, Tuesday evening, where they had been peddling bananas. At a point just south of Newman's bridge, a man stepped up to the wagon, and asked them if they were the men who were peddling in Prospect during the day. When they replied that they were, two more men were seen coming out of the grass aside of the road, and at the same *time, the man who was addressing* them grabbed for the bridal on the horse. Bingham lashed the horse with the whip, and eluded the man who made the attempt to catch the steed. The three fellows gave chase until the bridge was reached when they cut into a corn field.

BIRTHS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jackson, of Fahey street, a son, Monday.

Word has been received here, of the birth of a daughter, August 6, to Mr. and Mrs. George Pennell, of Ortonville, Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. Pennell formerly resided in this city.

Many Improvements.

A number of improvements are being made at St. Mary's Catholic church. A large number of small incandescent lights are being placed about the altar and the large cross on top of the church steeple is being recoated with gold.

WANTED to sell 31 brand new Cook Stoves and Heaters from the McClain stocks at less than what you'd have to pay for "second hand" stoves. (Basement).
231-th-wk-sat Uhler-Phillips.

WRITE—For my list of good stock or dairy farms—excellent ones at $40 to $50 per acre, just over the Ohio line in Pennsylvania. Central school system, excellent markets. L. G. Waring, Linesville, Pa.
5-wk-13-173-s-13

CONTRACT FOR NEW SCHOOL-HOUSE LET

Caledonia's New Biulding Will Cost $17,884.

CONTRACT GOES TO A COLUMBUS MAN

The Harts Hold a Public Sale—The Up-to-Date Club and Its Sunday School Teacher, Together with the T. N. J. Club, Picnick Along the Bank of Whetstone River.

Caledonia, O., Aug. 26.—[Special.]—The contract for building the new school-house was let, last Friday, to E. E. Bope, of Columbus, for $17,884. Only two other bids were received for the work, that of E. J. Herman, of Toledo, for $17,957.75 and Mr Wood, of Lima, whose bid was a little less than that of Herman. The new building will be erected east of the old one, and work will be began as soon as the school board is ready. The board has been offered $1,400 for the material in the old building by Mr. Bope, and he will take it down, but no place is available for holding school this year and the board is still trying to arrange to use it until the new building is erected.

Mr. and Mrs Hugh Sipes, of Galion, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blair.

Wesley Rinker, Orrie Patton and James Morton spent Saturday at Cedar Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Martin, of Brush Ridge, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Ralph Baker, of Delaware, was the guest of his uncle, Dr. J. E Baker, and family, here, the first of the week.

Miss Edith Rose Rice accompanied her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George Hinds, to Marietta and Parkersburg, West Virginia, where she will be entertained for the next three weeks.

John W. Irwin returned, Tuesday, from a two-weeks outing at Union City and other points in Indiana.

Mrs. Budd Decker and sons, Paul and Frank, departed, Tuesday night, for their home in Des Moines, Iowa, after having visited relatives here for the past three weeks.

Lloyd Henson, who has been ill for the past five weeks of a complication of diseases, is slightly improved.

Mrs. Lodema Ziller and daughter, Mae, of Ada, have been the guests of friends here the past week.

Mrs. Jane Waddell, of Toledo, was the guest of her niece, Mrs. Stella Geyer, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hart will have a public sale at their residence, Saturday, when they will dispose of a part of their household effects. They will move to Cleveland next week, where Mr. Hart has held a lucrative position for the past year in a job printing office.

Misses Helen Pommert and Naomi Pittman went to Bucyrus, Monday evening, and attended the funeral of Earl Roberts on Tuesday.

The Up-to-Date club and its Sunday-school teacher, Miss Gertrude Gray, and the members of the T N. J. club picnicked along Whetstone creek, south of town, Thursday The customary out-of-door games were indulged in and an elegant picnic dinner served.

Mrs. Maude Makeever and children, Francis, Margaret and Elizabeth, were the guests of Mr and Mrs. M. V. Neal from Tuesday until Thursday.

Mrs. V W McNeil, of Prospect, was the guest of Mrs. Ida Anselment and daughters, several days this week.

Mr and Mrs Robert Price and children, Mr and Mrs Lee Timson, Mr and Mrs Charles Timson and children, Ruth and Homer, and Mr. and Mrs Charles Lee attended the Timson-Price family reunion, at Edison, Saturday

Mr and Mrs Fred Rhodbeck and Mr and Mrs Ben Rhodebeck and children, of near Mt Gilead, spent Sunday with J C Irwin and family.

Mrs Andrew Haas and infant son, of Galion, are the guests of the former's father, John Harrod

Mrs Lucy Stoner and children, of Johnsville, are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs C E Kelly

Mr and Mrs Otto Neal and children, Kinsel, Glen and Lucile, of Kirkpatrick, and Miss Mae Jeffrey, of Marion, were the guests of Mrs H. A. Hipsher, Sunday.

John Ruth, of Marion, was the guest of Mr and Mrs James Hinds, Sunday and Monday

Miss Gertrude Seckel spent the week in Cleveland, where she purchased her fall stock of millinery goods

Mrs James Gray spent Tuesday with friends in Galion Her daughters, Miriam and Louella, who have been visiting in Ashley, returned home with her

Miss Anna Pittman left, Wednesday evening for Bucyrus, where she will visit her sister, Mrs Vincent Wilson

Harry Cooper was in Bucyrus, Sunday, attending the Cooper family reunion, which was held at the home of Mr and Mrs Frank Sell on south Walnut street About forty members of the old Adam Cooper family were in attendance

P. S. Jones, of Jamestown, New York, and Miss Louise Jones, of New York City, returned to their homes, Monday, after a visit with their sister, Mrs E H Day.

The members of the M E Epworth league held a social at the home of Mr and Mrs Charles Clark, west of town, Tuesday evening The members were conveyed to the Clark home on a hay wagon. The evening was devoted to outdoor sports and music Ice cream and cake were disposed of, the proceeds to be used by the society.

Miss Mellicent Fields left, Tuesday, for an extended visit with relatives at Lima and Bellefontaine

Miss Mildred Apt, of Marion, is making an extended visit with her grandmother, Mrs Sarah Curl

Mrs W M. Hipsher, of Marion, is the guest of her sister, Mrs W W Burt, this week.

After a ten-days visit with Rev James Gray and family, Mr. and Mrs Frank Carnes departed, Thursday, for a visit at Greenfield, after which they will go to Genesee, Illinois, to reside Mr Carnes will be instructor of the business course in the college at that place

Mr and Mrs. L. C Donnenwirth returned home Saturday evening, from a three-weeks visit in Chicago Mr Donnenwirth has been sick in bed since their return

Mr and Mrs. Kelly Smith and two children, of Galion, were guests at the home of Dr and Mrs J B Kring from Saturday until Wednesday

Mrs Carrie Flatter, of Osborne, was entertained by Mrs. Charles Timson, Wednesday and Thursday.

Margaret Ellen, the infant daughter of Mr and Mrs. W. H. Harrington, has been very sick for the past week

Mr and Mrs. E. H. Jacobs and son, Ferris, of Lexington, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M Blair, Sunday.

The local ball team played a game with the Silk Mill team, of Marion, last Sunday afternoon at Osborne's park, west of town The game was one of the best ever played here and resulted in a score of five to nothing in favor of the local club

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Geddis and daughter, Fayette, were guests of friends at Cardington, last Sunday

Mr and Mrs Henry Barnes, of Cardington, visited Wednesday and Thursday, with Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Underwood.

Miss Virginia Underwood is entertaining Miss Laura Hiskett, of Convoy, this week.

Lewis Miller, of Johnsville, is spending the week with his father, William Miller.

MISS SANDRIDGE GIVEN A SURPRISE

Fire in an Oats Field Near Morral. Merry Young People.

Morral, O, Aug 26—[Special]—Miss Effie Sandridge was agreeably surprised, Saturday night, when a number of her young friends gathered at the home of her brother, C. M. Sandridge, where she is staying, and reminded her that she had reached another milestone in her life. The evening was enjoyed by the young people with games and contests. Dainty refreshments were served. The following young people were present Misses Roxie Pryor, Beaulah and Hazel Cottrell Mildred Washburn, Eva Walterhouse, Bertha Wood, Hazel Schultz, Hattie Moore, and Effie Sandridge and Messrs Merle Conley, Carl Lewis, Bert Crim, Clifford Pryor, and Edgar Moore.

Mrs C F. Cottrell and daughter, Hazel, and Mrs. Pearl Parker were shoppers in Upper Sandusky, Friday

Mrs J. A Butcher was a Marion visitor, Friday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beer, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Baldwin and sons, William and Robert, and guest, Miss Belle Clinger, of Marion, attended a surprise dinner, Sunday given in honor of Misses Nancy and Elvira Hunt, of west of Harpster.

Mrs William Hedges and niece, Miss Helen Vermillion, of Urbana, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs. Henry Clinger.

Miss Minnie Hagenmaire and Mr Frank Shumaker, of Upper Sandusky were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W H. Busler, Sunday.

Oats stubble in a field belonging to Mr. John Washburn, west of town, caught fire Sunday and was rapidly spreading to the strawstacks, when a phone message was sent to this village. Soon a number of men were on the scene and succeeded in extinguishing the fire. It is thought the fire started from a match or cigar carelessly thrown to the side of the roadway where the fire started

A merry party of young people were entertained at the home of Mr and Mrs Silas Smith, Monday night in honor of their son, Emmet it being the occasion of his twenty-first birthday. The following young people were present and helped make merry. Misses Mildred Washburn, Hazel Schultz, Beaulah and Hazel Cottrel, Effie Sandridge, Melisse Parker, Roxie Pryor, Ethel Crim, Gladys Hartman Eva Walterhouse and Fairy Smith and Messrs. Merle Conley, Carl Lewis Harold Schultz Dwight Mahaffey, Bert Crim Harry Ritter, Dwight Stouffer Arthur Wiley and Emmet and Arleigh Smith.

Mr and Mrs. Floyd Munford and Miss Faye Tallar, of Marion were guests of Mr and Mrs G W Bogart, Sunday afternoon

Mr and Mrs A B Sloop of Columbus are spending the week with Mrs. Sloop's parents, Mr and Mrs C W Welsh

Mr. and Mrs. J W, Campbell, of LaRue, attended the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth May, which was held at the Methodist church, Tuesday afternoon. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev J S Altman A large concourse of relatives and friends were in attendance

Mrs. Blanch Brady was a Marion visitor, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blosser and daughters, Nellie and Elva have moved here from the Creasap farm, west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Parker were Marion visitors, Saturday night

Misses Leete Fowler, Anna Myers and Miss Hedges, of Harpster, were Morral visitors, Tuesday

Miss Mary Cox of Evanston, Illinois, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. G. W Crim, has gone to Lamartine to visit relatives

Mrs. Mattie Richards and daughter, Iris, returned, Monday, from a visit with Mr. and Mrs Marion Barnthouse, near Pleasant Hill.

Mrs. Laura Taylor and daughter, Maud, of New Carlisle, who has been visiting at the homes of O Washburn and Thomas Hedges went to Marion, Wednesday, to visit relatives. Sunday, Mrs. Hedges entertained the following relatives in honor of Mrs. Taylor and daughter Mr and Mrs O Washburn and daughters, Mildred and son, Karl; Mrs P E Lawrence and children, Amos and Sarah Catherine; Mrs Sarah Taylor, Mr and Mrs J. L. Bender, of Upper Sandusky, Mr. and Mrs. Jaemes Lewis and son, Robert, of Harpster; and Mr Harpster Taylor, of Upper Sandusky

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Weist and daughter, Thelma, and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schultz and daughter, Hazel attended the farmers' picnic west of Meeker, Wednesday, making the trip in Mr. Weist's automobile.

W. W Morral is transacting business at Spring Valley.

Mr. Carl Ritter has returned to his duties at St. Louis after a pleasant visit at the home of his uncle, Mr C F. Ritter.

Miss Orpha Mahaffey attended teachers' institute in Marion this week.

Miss Ruth Ferguson visited at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ferguson, several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bardon attended the bankers' convention at Cedar Point, this week. Misses Helen and Grace Bardon visited relatives at Nevada while their parents were away.

Mr. C. F. Ritter was called to Dayton, Monday, by the death of a friend

Miss Gladys Forrest and Mr. Ben Bucher, of Mansfield, were guests of Miss Roma Welsh, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lehman, of Mt. Victory, visited relatives here, this week. They will visit at Marion and Upper Sandusky before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Warner and family have moved to Morral from Kirby.

Mrs. S. C. Baker and sons, Charles, Georgie and Ray, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E E. Newland, near Harpster, Friday.

Ray Jolley, of Richwood, is visiting his brother, Dr. J. W. Jolley.

Ed Huggins, of Marion, was a business visitor in Morral, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Alkire, of Marion, and Mr. and Mrs. E. E Newland and children, of Harpster, were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs. S. C. Baker.

Mrs. F. A. Washburn delightfully entertained a company of young people, Tuesday evening, for the pleasure of her guest, Miss Helen Jackson, of Dayton. Games of all kinds were enjoyed until a late hour. The hostess served dainty refreshments Those present, aside from the guest of honor, were Misses Beaulah Cottrell, Hazel Schultz, Roma Welsh, Hattie Moore, Mildred Washburn, Hazel Lupton, Bertha Wood, Orpha Hero, Edith Wilson, Austa Core, Gladys Starner and Iona Washburn and Messrs. Bert Crim, Carl Lewis, Harry Ritter, William Baldwin, Harold Schultz, Merle Conley, John Wiley, Arthur Wiley, Homer Smith, Dwight Stouffer, William Wilson, Henry Ute, Roy Starner, John Gillooly, Dwight Mahaffey and Ray Jolley, of Richwood, and Mr Keller, of Columbus

Miss Beaulah Cottrell was hostess to the G. B. club, Thursday afternoon. After a season of embroidery work, the young ladies partook of a dainty luncheon.

J. P. Barnthouse and daughter Miss Zoe, were visitors in Upper Sandusky, Wednesday.

Mrs O P Shoots and daughters, Hazel and Marguerite, of north of Marion, were guests of Mrs L J Dennis and Mrs. W W. Morral, Wednesday.

Bert Crim, while playing on the lawn at the Washburn party, stepped into a hole in such a manner as to badly sprain his righ ankle The young man is obliged to go about on crutches.

Miss Hazel Lupton was a visitor in Marion, Thursday.

Mrs Irene Scobey was a guest of Mrs C. L. V. Casto in Marion, Saturday and Sunday.

Church Services.

There will be a home-coming service at the Green Camp M E church Sunday at 2 30 p m. Rev A E Harford, of Toledo, will preach at 7 45 p m, at the same church, while Rev M C Wisely will preach at Mt Olive M E church Sunday at 7 45 p m

THREATS OF REVOLUTION IN PORTUGAL FRIGHTEN MANUEL AND DUKE OF OPORTO

THE PRACA DO COMMERCIO
KING MANUEL
THE AVENIDA DA LIBERDADE
DUKE OF OPORTO

Lisbon, Portugal, Aug. 24.—The government is greatly disturbed over the intense activity of the Republicans in preparing for the general elections which are to be held next Sunday. The candidates for office, many of them men of prominence, including officers of the army and navy, have entered every constituency in the country. The authorities have searched the homes of a number of Republicans and have found stores of arms and ammunition. It is known that a quantity of rifles and revolvers daily are being smuggled into the country across the Spanish frontier and that the Republicans now are well armed. It is feared that the elections will be marked by disturbances. It is said that the Duke of Oporto, heir apparent to the throne, has taken refuge in a fortress after hearing of the formation of several regiments to join the revolutionists. No explanation has been vouchsafed by the government as to why it considers the papal nuncio at Lisbon, Mgr. Tonti, objectionable. The semi-official communication said that the Portuguese charge d'affaires to the Vatican had explained the situation to the Pope. Despite the silence of the government it is understood that the trouble between it and Mgr. Tonti had its origin in the campaign of the clericals following the government's censuring of the archbishop of Braga for suppressing a Portuguese Franciscan newspaper without submitting the order to the Portuguese government for approval and because of the alleged action of the Vatican in placing difficulties in the way of the appointment of an ambassador to the Vatican

NICARAGUA HAS NEW PRESIDENT SINCE VICTORY

DR. JOSE MADRIZ
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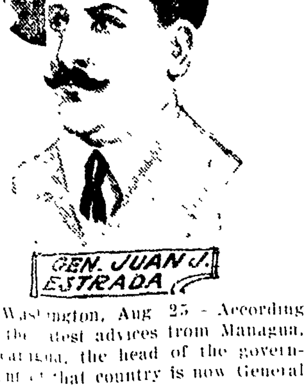

GEN. JUAN J. ESTRADA

Washington, Aug 25.—According to the latest advices from Managua, Nicaragua, the head of the government of that country is now General Juan J. Estrada, although the executive chair is now occupied by his brother Jose Dolores Estrada President Madriz turned the government over to the brother of the proposed president before he fled to Corinto and it is expected that the revolutionary leader will arrive to claim his title of president in a few days.

WILL L. WRIGHT WRITES PLAYLET

Which Is Being Produced by Moving-Picture Houses.

The following from the Bellefontaine Index-Republican will be read with interest by the many Marion county friends of Will Wright formerly a member of the Star reportorial staff

In independent theaters in New York City on Thursday there was presented a motion picture play entitled "For the Sunday Edition," the scenario written by Will L. Wright, of the Index-Republican. The [illegible] and action of the piece is highly complimented by critics

The Moving Picture World in a long advance review of the piece says in part "Editors of newspapers in Gotham were invited to send reporters to see the rattling good newspaper playlet, "For the Sunday Edition," to be released August 25 by the Independent Moving Pictures company of New York This play is sure to make a hit with the keenest critics It deals with a young reporter who is sent out to get a "story" for the Sunday edition He gets it but gets more than that This "Imp" film is 990 feet in length There is a pretty but logical love story running through the plot "

The "Billboard" says "The story is consistent and the "Imp" company is to be congratulated "

The "Mirror" makes complimentary mention of the playlet

UNWRITTEN LAW IS INVOKED FOR GIRL

Jury Quickly Acquits Girl of a Murder Charge.

New Orleans, La., Aug. [illegible]—Mamie McLon[illegible], who shot and killed [illegible] Hugh Smith, a wealthy [illegible] keeper, as he walked the streets with her rival, was acquitted by a jury here on a plea of the "unwritten law."

The jury was out but 25 minutes. The announcement of the verdict was received with cheers by the members of the Era club, an organization of women, and the other spectators who filled the courtroom During the progress of the trial crowds outside the court building fought for admittance.

Bushido.

Bushido, in a word, is the popular literature of the mikado's realm. It includes country theatricals, tales of story tellers and musical compositions It is not only a literature; it is an idea and an ideal. The word means loyalty, fidelity, devotion and it may be expressed in dozens of different ways.

Miss Mae Powell, of south State street, is visiting friends in Ashland, Ohio.

ANNUAL REUNION OF HIPSHER FAMILY

Is Held at the School-House Grounds at Caledonia.

Caledonia, O., Aug. 26—[Special] The annual reunion of the Hipsher family was held on the public school grounds, here, Thursday, there being about eigthy-five relatives and friends in attendance. The day was heartily enjoyed, socially, and at the noon hour a big dinner served. During the day, the family history was read by Edward Hipsher, of Marion. During the past year, two deaths were reported, those of Louis Osborne and the infant son of James Daly. Three births were also reported, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Porter, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Osborne and a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Foos

Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows John Hipsher, president. F. T. Doyle, secretary; H. B. Rice, treasurer, Edouared Hipsher, historian.

Among those present out-of-town, were Henry Hipsher and son, William of Van Wert; Mr and Mrs. A. Dawsey and daughter, Emma Loiuse, of Galion. Elizabeth, Joseph, Wallace and Gladys Doyle, of Mt. Victory, Mr and Mrs W. M. Hipsher. Mrs Elizabeth Ellers and Edouard Hipsher, of Marion.

The next reunion will be held at the same place next year.

BRYAN NOT COMING TO BUCKEYE STATE

Democrats Fail To Invite Nebraskan To Stump Ohio.

Columbus, O., Aug. 24.—The Democratic state committee has issued no invitation to William J. Bryan to speak in Ohio during the coming Democratic [illegible] campaign and will issue none. The committee does not know whether Mr. Bryan would accept if he were invited and it does not know that it would want Mr Bryan to speak unless what he said were censored before he said it And those who know Mr Bryan know there would be no censorship. It is likely that the campaign will be opened at Bucyrus which is a Bryan stronghold

Dewey's Valet Causes Stir.

There was consternation in Washington one night recently when it was discovered that Takugana, Admiral Dewey's valet, had disappeared. That picturesque little band box Jap is so regular in his habits and in his attendance upon Admiral Dewey, whom he worships, and when he didn't show up for 24 hours, the Washington police were asked to look him up. They located him in the course of a few hours out in one of the suburbs visiting friends, and the little fellow was much amazed when he found that his unusual absence had almost created a panic in the Dewey family.

Mrs. Edward Munnell and daughter, Rhea, of south State street, are visiting relatives in Mansfield for a few days

NARROW ESCAPE
OF MARION WOMA

Mistakes Gasoline for Coal Oil
Explosion Follows.

Caledonia, O., Aug. 26—[S
cial.]—As she was about to le
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Da
Winters, two miles north of h
when the storm came up about
o'clock, Thursday evening, to go
the home of Henry Winters,
here, Mrs. E. J. Stanley, of Mar
went to the summer kitchen to
a lamp with oil when by mist
she filled it with gasoline, which
ploded when she attempted to
it. The building caught fire in
explosion and was totally consu
Mrs. Stanley, however, was
slightly injured, having been bu
about the hands and face.

Mrs. Stanley had been left
charge of the premises at the
iel Winters home when Mr. and
Winters left during the morning
New Mexico.

The loss will not be large.

OBITUARY.

Drake—On the 27th of
month, in the beautiful cemete
Warren, Ohio, all that was m
of Thomas E. Drake, late sup
tendent of insurance for the Di
of Columbia and an old M
county boy who has brought
to his county and his state, w
laid to rest His death, at the a
fifty-eight years, occurred in W
ington, on the 23d of July, bein
result of a nervous breakdown
to overwork Mr. Drake wa
son of the late Daniel S and C
sa Wilcox Drake, who, with
fathers before them, were earl
tlers of Marion county, and
pied a large farm near W
where in 1852 Mr. Thomas E
was born After completing
education in Ohio schools, he
to Cincinnati and engaged i
business of life insurance,
rapidly, and finally servin
deputy superintendent of insu
of the state of Ohio In 1902
signed this office to accept th
superintendent of insurance
District of Columbia, which he
with rare conscientiousness.
courage in the face of unworth
position was, his colleagues de
heroic. He was warmly admir
Roosevelt, who considered hi
right hand man in insurance
ters, and appointed him chairm
several very important comm
on insurance questions. Mr.
was a man of rare Christian
cipal, evinced in every act of hi
His church affiliations were Me
ist, having united with that
in his early youth. His abso
impregnable integrity and
purity of motive, and strengt
loyality of character, combin
make a man beloved and t
above his fellows. No thoug
self seemed ever to be in his
his whole life was devoted t
service of others. Men whom
world delights to honor wer
friends—and so were its hum
servitors. Rich and poor u
mourn, and to those who knew
best, life will never be quit
same since he has gone. The
is better because he has lived
and paradise is richer because
there. He leaves in sorrow, a
and two daughters, the Misses
and Alice Drake, five devote
ters and three brothers. The fu
was held in Washington, on the
of July, Bishop Cranston offici
"Blessed are the dead who die
Lord."

LIVE STOCK AND GRA

CHICAGO—Cattle. Beeves. $4 90
Texas steers. $3 75@6 00; western
$4 00@7 00. cows and heifers,
50 stockers and feeders, $4 10
Calves—$1 50@9 00. Sheep and La
Native sheep $2 50@4 60; western
@4 60 native lambs, $4 75@6 90,
ers, $5 00@6 90, yearlings. $4 50
Hogs—Light $5 80@9 35; mixed,
9 25, heavy, $8 10@8 95; rough,
8 30, pigs, $8 90@9 05 Wheat—
red, $1 00@1 00¾. Corn—No 2,
62¾. Oats—No 2, 32@32¾c.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle: Expor
tl, $6 50@7 50; shipping steers.
6 50, butcher cattle, $6 50@7 00,
$1 00@5 75, fat cows, $4 00@5 25,
$3 00@5 50; milkers and springers,
@62 00 Calves—$10 50@11 10 Shee
Lambs—Mixed sheep, $4 00@4 35,
ers, $4 50@4 75, ewes, $3 75@4 25,
$5 50@7 00, yearlings, $4 50@5 50.
Heavies, $9 20; mediums, $9 35@
Yorkers, $9 50@9 60, pigs, $9 60,
$7 00@7 75; stags, $6 50@6 75

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice,
7 75 prime, $7 25@7 40; tidy bu
$6 90@6 40: heifers, $3 00@5 75,
bulls and stags, $2 50@5 50, fresh-
$39 00@50 00. Calves—Veal, $9 50@
Sheep and Lambs—Prime wethers,
@4 50, good mixed, $4 00@4 25,
$4 00@6 25; yearlings, $3 00@5 25
Prime heavy hogs, $8 90@9 00;
mixed, $9 15@9 25, mediums $9 50@
heavy Yorkers, $9 60@9 65; light Y
and pigs, $9 80@9 85

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Choice
$6 60@7 00, heifers, $3 50@6 25, fat
$4 00@4 50, bulls, $4 25@4 75, m
and springers, $30 00@60 00. Ca
$9 50 down. Sheep and Lambs—
sheep, $3 75@4 00, ewes, $3 75@4 00
sheep $4 25, lambs, $4 00@6 35. H
Heavies and mediums $9 00, Yo
$9 15@9 50, roughs, $7 75@7 85,
$6 50@7 00

CINCINNATI—Wheat, No 2 red,
$1 01, Corn — No. 2 mixed, 63@
Oats—No. 2 mixed, 33@33½c Rye
2, 74@76c Bulk Meats—$12 75. Ba
$13 75 Lard—$11 75 Cattle—$2 00@
Sheep—$1 75@4 00. Lambs—$3 75@
Hogs $8 75@9 20

TOLEDO—Wheat, $1 01½, corn,
oats 35¼c, rye, 72½c; cloverseed,

CHICAGO DAIRY.

Chicago, Aug 25.—Butter—
tras 29, firsts 25½; dairy firsts
firsts 24.

Eggs—Prime firsts 22; firsts

Cheese — Twins 15¼@1
young Americas 16½@16¾

Live poultry—Fowls 13@1
ducks 13; geese 8@10.

ANY VISITORS AT COUNTY INSTITUTE

Professor Black Gives Most Interesting Lecture.

METHOD IN READING THE PRIMARY PHASE

T. E. Bolander Tells of Work of Ohio Teachers, Reading Circle. Dr. Ellis Declares the World's Most Intellectual Men Are Not Always Handsome and Illustrates.

With a large representation of teachers from all parts of the county in attendance, the opening session of the Marion County Teachers' institute was held Monday morning at the High school building.

Two able speakers, among the most noted of institute workers were here, and addressed the teachers from day to day. Dr. Charles C. Ellis, of Huntington, Pennsylvania, and Professor William W. Black, of Bloomington, Indiana, are known widely for their work, and unquestionably have as wide experience in this work of any educational men of the country. It is expected that the local teachers will profit much from the addresses of these men.

Shortly after 8:30 o'clock, Monday morning, the invocation was given by Rev. J. P. Currin, of the First Baptist church. A. B. Jones, of Prospect, president of the association, presided.

Dr. Ellis was introduced after the preliminary exercises and gave a lecture, "The Business of the Public School." He was heard with close attention, as he outlined the work which the teacher should do and noted the interest which she should take in the welfare of the children.

It is of great importance that the teacher look toward the morals of her pupils, declared Dr. Ellis. There has been much discussion over the country, regarding the education of men and women in the colleges as to their spiritual welfare. It is entirely obvious that the morals of the students should be given some attention by teachers. "We don't need more educated rascals," said the speaker. "We have got enough of them."

Dr. Ellis declared that the public school should assist the home. It should furnish what the home can not furnish. It should also look toward equipping the child for the future. The lad is in school and soon he goes out. It seems a long while when he first starts in, but it is soon over and he goes out into the world and it is a question where he is going. It should be the concern of the teacher to know where he is going and to prepare him for life. Dr. Ellis told of a young man, who prepared himself for teaching, but who secured a job as an errand boy. He was asked if he could add, and he demonstrated that he could not. The next year he began teaching school, showing children how to work discount and compound interest, when he could not do good work as an adder. Teachers today should train their pupils to do those things which they will be required to do out in the world, and should train them to be loyal citizens, ready, willing and able to do a part in the life of the nation.

After a recess, Professor Black gave an address, "The Problems of English."

Monday Afternoon Session.

"Our Obligation to the State" was the theme of an able lecture delivered at the Monday afternoon session of the institute by Dr. Charles C. Ellis.

It is the whole duty of the people to obey the law, and to give up to its requirements in every walk of life, the doctor said. Many people will say that it is the duty of the individual to vote, but a careful study of the work done by the individual as a part in the great work in the nation will show that this is not the case. Further than this, women can not vote, but they are not necessarily neglecting their duty. It might be said that it is the duty of the people to hold office, but the great duty of the people is to assist in the work in every phase of life whereby the nation may be made strong and great.

After a recess, a vocal solo was rendered by Professor Albert Bellingham, supervisor of music in the Mansfield schools, who has charge of the music at the institute. He responded to an encore.

Professor Black at this time lectured upon "Language Work and Composition." He outlined the principles of English on which it was his purpose to dwell during the week. He declared that the person who would express himself best must be sincere in his purpose, for no man has a right to speak unless he has something to say worth while and which will be at least appreciated by those hearing it. This quality goes with the highest form of discourse. The child should be trained to use those principles of expressions in its early life which should be used in later life. The impressions which a child obtains will linger with him all through life. The speaker stated that in his early life in Indiana the people were accustomed to use the word "shut" instead of "rid" when they spoke of being rid of anything. Today he declared that that same word comes up in his speech asking for recognition repeatedly. The child therefore should be well trained in early life.

The talk by Professor Black closed the first day's program of the institute.

Tuesday Morning Session.

Many visitors were in attendance at Tuesday morning's session of the teachers' institute at the High school building, and the main room of the building in which the sessions are being held was crowded during the day. A number of teachers also arrived here, Tuesday, to attend the institute the remainder of the week.

Following the preliminary exercises, Tuesday, Professor Black gave another lecture upon "Method in Reading—Primary Phase." The speaker's line of thought was very similar to that given in his other lectures, and he developed the idea that the mind of the child must be carefully studied, in order that the reading may be so conducted that the child will be interested.

After a recess, T. E. Bolander told of the Ohio Teachers' Reading circle work to be done during the coming year, and a representative of Miami university gave a talk, after which Dr. Ellis gave his lecture upon "Socrates."

In opening his remarks, Dr. Ellis declared that the world's greatest and wisest men are not always the best-appearing, and, in fact, are often among the worst-looking men. Dr. Ellis pointed out Lincoln and declared that Socrates was a man of the Lincoln type, for he was wise and great, but was not handsome. Socrates met in his life the kind of men who know everything and also those who know little and who realize that they do not know anything. He had two distinct methods which may be known as the positive and the negative forms of questioning these men so that the person who thought that he knew all realized that he knew little, and the man who knew something knew that there was much room for a broader knowledge. Socrates was wise because he was willing at all times to learn. He was willing to listen to a slave because he knew that he would be willing to learn something from him. Here many teachers could learn much from Socrates, said Dr. Ellis, for the best teacher is the one who is willing to learn.

Another lesson for the teacher is brought out in the life of Socrates in that he needed no magnificent school-room or building in which to instruct men and women. The teacher today should be a power herself, regardless of whether the proper equipment is furnished. However, in all cases where it is possible, the best of equipment should be furnished the teacher.

Socrates was one of the great men of his age, and there are many lessons in his life for the teacher.

Tuesday Afternoon Session.

At the Tuesday afternoon session of the institute, President Edwin E. Jacobs, of Ashland college, was the *first on the program.* He gave an interesting talk on "Scientific Temperance," in which he told the teachers of the need of telling the exact truth regarding many matters in the schools. The teachers should tell the truth about alcohol, and instruct the children, apprising them of the fact that never yet has alcohol done any good in any man's system. It has always done harm, excepting in cases where it has been prescribed by physicians in very critical cases, but, for the most part, there has been no good brought about through alcohol in the body.

After a recess, Professor Black discussed "Methods in Reading—Intermediate." The speaker told of his early experiences in reading, and declared that the child should become interested in his reading matter in the school. It should be the plan of the teacher to select good reading matter and for a time during this intermediate period in the training of the child, attention to technicalities in reading should be avoided in order that the child may be the more intersted in his work. At a later period he will learn the benefit of the proper study of the formation of sentences, and the like.

Following another recess, Dr. Ellis spoke upon the theme, "The School and the Home." Dr. Ellis explained that the teacher should not work in place of the parent, but with the parent. There should be cooperation in the work between the home and the school. It often happens that there is a misunderstanding between the teacher and the parents, and these differences are often due to many reasons. Sometimes the teacher is at fault, and again the parent should be censured. In a community where it is customary for the people always to find fault with the school regardless of every effort to amicably arrange matters, the teacher should emigrate to some other community.

The teacher, Dr. Ellis declared, who is big enough to stand before her pupils and draw her salary for teaching them should be big enough to go outside the walls of her school building and look into the home life of her children. No teacher does her best work who does that work within four walls. *Her* best work at times is outside the school when she enters the home and cements together the two by finding out the environment of her pupil in the home.

It often happens that teachers meet with pupils who are entirely careless whether they learn, and it is often discouraging. It requires more than an ordinary teacher to grasp the situation and guide the child aright. She needs to go into the home, and there, doubtless, she will see the cause for the child's listlessness in school, and the trouble may be remedied.

Dr. Ellis closed his lecture with a plea for a better understanding at all times between the teacher and the parent in order that through cooperation, a better work may be accomplished.

Wednesday Morning.

Wednesday, Rev. J. W. Miles, of the United Brethren church, conducted the devotions with which the session was opened, and after music, conducted by Professor Albert Bellingham, of the Mansfield schools, Dr. Charles Ellis gave his lecture, "The Master Teacher," one of his best addresses.

Dr. Ellis stated that it was with some hesitation that he delivered this lecture, but he had been requested to deliver it. He declared that very often it happens that cultured people and students mention all of the great teachers of the world and fail to mention the name of the Man of Gallilee. That He was a great physician is true and to say that He was a great preacher would be true, but He was also a great teacher. From those who either accept or reject His divinity we glean statements which admit that He was one of the greatest of teachers and that He gave the world a new thought. The greatest work of a teacher, it has been said, is not in giving out subject matter, but in the uplift which he should give his pupils. Christ was the one great teacher because He furnished that uplift to others and sought to raise all mankind to a higher plane of thought and living and in this He was more than an ordinary teacher.

The teacher, by studying the method of Christ, will learn many things in successful teaching, declared the speaker.

Following the lecture by Dr. Ellis, Professor William W. Black gave a lecture upon "Grammar." He delved in the deeper principles of grammar, and showed some good ways of teaching it. His lecture closed the morning session.

Wednesday Afternoon.

That not as much is being gleaned from the study of grammar in the schools today as might be obtained, and that the results from this study are not the best, was shown by Professor William W. Black, Wednesday afternoon. However, today we are advancing toward a better understanding of the principles of grammar, and there is every reason to believe that soon better progress will be noted.

Professor Black delved deep into the principles of grammar in his address, and explained many principles entirely new to the teachers. Often people become confused in naming the parts of speech of words, and frequently teachers ask pupils to name the parts of speech—words selected at random, when it is practically impossible to tell correctly what the parts of speech are unless the student knows the relation of the words in the sentence. All depends upon this relation of the words in the sentence. We often speak of pronouns as taking the place of nouns when in many sentences the pronouns often are the main subjects in the sentence. We often judge participles by their ending in the letters "ing," when, as a matter of fact, this is a very poor method.

Previous to his talk on grammar, Professor Black told of reading, and advised the teachers to make the reading of the children in the schools reasonably rapid. When the child reads rapidly, he will get a better idea of his reading, although it is not essential that he make a picture in his mind of the story while he is *reading, but after he has finished,* at least, a part of it.

Professor Black's lecture followed a solo by Professor Bellingham.

During the first hour of the afternoon, Dr. Ellis gave a lecture on "The School and Society."

T. E. Bolander spoke on the work of the Ohio Teachers' Reading circle.

Thursday Morning.

Thursday an interesting and helpful program was rendered, and close attention was paid the speakers.

After the preliminary exercises and singing by the teachers, which occupied the first half hour, Professor William Black again lectured before the teachers, and took up practically the same line of thought that he has been presenting the teachers in English and grammar. He was heard with close attention.

Mr. Snyder, who visits the schools over the state was introduced, and gave a very helpful talk.

Dr. Charles Ellis discussed "Louis Agassiz." He told many interesting incidents in Agassiz's life, and declared that his life work was a great one, and he did much for humanity and science.

In the afternoon, Professor Black and Dr. Ellis again addressed the teachers, and an address was also made by Dr. Henry A. Hartman, the newly-elected superintendent of the Marion schools.

Thursday Afternoon.

The Thursday afternoon session of the Marion county teachers' institute at the High school building proved especially interesting, and the addresses of the afternoon were among the best delivered during the week. Aside from the lecturers, Dr. Charles Ellis and Professor William Black, Dr. Henry A. Hartman, the newly-elected superintendent of the Marion city schools, spoke during this session.

Professor Black occupied the first hour with an interesting discourse on "Method in Literature." He brought out many new thoughts in literature, and his talk was very helpful.

Immediately after recess, Professor Bellingham, of the Mansfield schools, rendered a vocal solo and responded to an encore.

Dr. Hartman was introduced by President A. B. Jones, and gave a short address, in which he dwelt especially upon the study of the character of boys in the schools.

"I have always been interested particularly in boys," said Dr. Hartman. "Ever since I began teaching I have wondered if I could do more for the boys than I am now doing. We are all working for a motive, and it too frequently happens that a motive is our compensation. We think too much how much we will earn this year and how much next year, and we forget that our motive should be for the child's welfare, and that we should prepare to do our best work for the pupils. You heard the other day of the work of the Master Teacher, but did you notice that not one act in the life of that teacher was for Himself and with a selfish purpose.

The Successful Teacher.

"The successful teacher must lay down her own selfishness and pick up the cause of the child. I am a believer in the child and in child life. The worst boy that ever happened, and the meanest snipe that you may find has the qualities within him of the greatest men that ever lived. The child must be found, not made, and the teacher should study deep into his life and then devote her attention toward his welfare."

Dr. Hartman stated that in the life of the child there is the quality of dissipation, which must be reckoned with by the teacher, who should, on the other hand, be systematic and orderly in her work. She can not be too careful in her work, so that the child may be given the right impressions. A school, the speaker said, is like a machine. When the controlling factor is out of order, it is worthless. If the teacher can not control herself, all of the pupils will be shiftless in their work, and inasmuch as it is the character of the teacher that counts for much in the life of the child, it is highly important that their characters be the best. The speaker showed that in studying the lives of men in the penitentiary, nearly all of them had formed their tendency for wrong-doing in the period when they were between the ages of six and fourteen years. At this time they began pilfering and stealing, and soon were on the downward path. They became pretenders and of all things despicable it is the pretender.

"Let your life be like an open book," admonished Dr. Hartman, "for the child will read your character, even though you close it as tightly as you can, and he will be governed by those impressions of your character."

Strength and Vigor.

Another quality which the boy demands in the teacher is great-mindedness, and also, aside from a good education, there must be strength and vigor in her work. The teacher should do the work of the teacher, not that she should not do manual labor, but that she should devote her heart and mind to her work and be intent at all times upon it.

Dr. Hartman told of a lad, who could not seemingly do his school work, but could only draw. He was allowed to do his drawing and under careful training, the heart of the child was won, and through the efforts of the superintendent, the teacher learned to know the child and found out his characteristics and from that time her work with the lad was successful.

The boy must be found by the teacher, and he, in turn, will do much, and through good teaching will be led to higher things.

Dr. Ellis followed Dr. Hartman, and spoke upon the subject, "The School and the Boy." He spoke of the attitude of the teacher toward the pupil. The child's work is so far below that which the teacher can do that unless the teacher is careful, she will take the critical attitude and will begin to criticize his work. On the other hand, she should compliment him, for there is no reason why the child who has done his best should not be complimented upon that work. The teacher should place herself on the level of the child and take the sympathetc attitude toward him.

"You can't help boys unless you understand them," declared Dr. Ellis, "and you can't understand them unless you get on a level with them and assist them."

A good teacher is a good guide. She should be willing to go over the road with her pupils and not only in intellect, but also in spirit, she can assist them. There are many boys who have not the best of companionship in the home, and the teacher can furnish this companionship. Teaching in its greatest sense ought to be spiritual companionship whereby the teacher not only trains the child, but lifts him to a higher plane.

Dr. Ellis' talk closed the program of the afternoon.

Those in Attendance.

The following is a list of the teachers in attendance at the institute:

Agosta—Jessie Alice Metz, Maemie Olla Metz, William Metz, Rosa Scherger, Martha Montgomery, Alice Manley, Mac. D. Metz, Edna Dutton, Verne Day, Jessie Burley, Lewis Gracely, C. W. Dutton.

Caledonia—Mary Curl, J. S. Coates, Winifred Zuspan, Mildred Seckel, Lavina Drake, Winifred Glathort, Emer Coulter, Florence Thew, W. S. Early, Amanda Drake, Arena Hinds, Alice Hanley, O. M. Mills, Mabel A. Fell, Naomi B. Pittman, May Key, Eva D. Ault, R. B. Bell.

Green Camp—Nora Savidge, Lorna C. Cobb, Huldah Porter, Homer M. McColley.

Harpster—Clara Kreisel, Coralie Kraisel.

LaRue—Lillie M. Harris, Ella E. Mears, W. B. Denman, Demeral Morris, Faye Hesser, Ferol Marmon, Lloyd Thomasson, Edna Riley, Mayme Thornburg, Anabel Myers, Ivah Trihart, Mary Alexander, F. K. Stafford, Ralph Kemper, Caroline Schotte.

Marion—Mabel E. Rowe, Lillian Burgess, Margaret E. Minogue, Mrs. Carrie V. Durr, Clara M. Klinefelter, Luella M. Scholl, Jeanette Hamilton, Cora Zachman, Stella Dietsch, Spray McWilliams, Pansy Rauhauser, Irma Sontag, Margaret Hecker, Grace Horseman, Etta Carter, Evalona McKinley, Bina Goerlick, Emma Hultz, Ada Havill, Jeannette Turner, Sarah Myers, Flora A. Kowalke, May Arthur, Dessie Gregory, Alice L. Dombaugh, Marjorie Owen, Mrs. Nellie B. Irey, Gladys Lawrence, May Hain, Mildred Conley, Margaret Burgess, Katie Goerlick, Ola C. Knowles, Elizabeth S. Ruehrmund, Alice E. White, Linda Willauer, Reba Mary Anderson, Winona Holmes, Ermel F. Blow, Maude Hobson, Myrtle C. Knauss, Gladys M. Humphrey, Emma Berndt, Flora Slough, Lydia C. Marsh, Marianne Reinicke, Iscah M. Rhodes, Lulu M. Keller, Lida Willauer, A. F. Lantzer, Anna W. Fite, Clara A. Kowalke, Blanche Paessler, Mamie Fletcher, Henry A. Hartman, Pauline Bell, Mildred W. Dickerson, Fanny A. Reidenbaugh, Gladys Cleveland, Jennie McMillan, Gertrude Lawrence, Winifred M. Peadon, Ethel O'Connor, Elma B. Howser, Marie L. Seiter, Abagail A. Gast, Emma E. Herzer, Rose Waddell, Zelda Ramer, Grace Campbell, Caroline Wanner, Anna Schoenlaub, Emogene Morris, K. H. Marshall, Eliza Rhoads, S. C. Diver, W. H. Fraillch, Lottie E. Ward, Jessie Daugherty, Alice M. Messenger, F. T. Uncapher, Maude Baker, G. W. Hays, Louise Cunningham, Ive Campbell, Mrs. Eva Osborne, F. M. McClung, Faye P. Myers, T. E. Bolander, Stella B. Smiley, Etta Walters, Carrie E. Geran, S. G. Smith, Marguerite Hanley, Grace Cunningham, Ruth Reeder, Emma Cunningham, Harriett M. Christian, Dorothy Anderson, Pearle Campbell, Elizabeth B. Dairy, Elizabeth Rexroth, W. C. Selander, Abigail Harding, Florence M. Chamberlain, Emma L. Uncapher, Hilda C. Garberson, Della Harriman, Madge Martin, Mrs. Kathryn Emery, Florence McMillan, Alice Sneckenberger, Mary Zuck, Madge Whitney, DeEmma Hawley, Elma Brooks, Ella Kiger, B. F. Robinson, Florence Foster, Olla Allmendinger, Beatrice Prior, Ruth M. Edwards, Maude Coyle, Margaret M. Dickerson, A. N. Carmine, Grace Baldwin.

Martel—Arista Burkhart, Lenna M. Neff, Alla B. Markey, Belle Haney.

Meeker—J. C. Emmons, Golda C. Briggs.

Morral—William S. Wilson, G. J. Slosser, Orpha Mahaffey.

Monnett—Mina Doughty.

Prospect—Emma Stuckey, Oscar Gast, Edna Finley, Fred Hoch, Mary L. Griffith, Harrison Gast, Irene Redd, Elizabeth Dowell, Ozella Thibaut, Clifford Hoch, Lulu Eaton, Sylvia C. Cellar, Jessie Codding, William A. Griffiths, J. H. Tron, C. O. Oswald, Laura J. Treese, Philip N. Hecker, Hortense Van-Osten, Beulah Idleman.

Waldo—Florence Smith, A. D. Wells, John Emery and S. W. Allmendinger.

Outside county—Ida McDermott, Fostoria; Anna M. Struthers and Fay B. Struthers, Iberia; Florence Abbott, Delaware; Mrs. E. Brenizer, Hartpence; Delphia Rogers, Jerome Tittlebaugh, George W. McClenathan, Cardington, and Bessie Roux, DeCliffe.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PUPILS ENTERTAINED

By Mrs. and Miss McElheney at LaRue, Saturday.

LaRue, O., Aug. 26—[Special]—Mrs. B. Kilbourne and Miss Elizabeth McElheney, teachers of the cradle roll and beginners' class of the Methodist Sunday-school entertained the little folks and their parents at a social, Saturday afternoon, on the church lawn. Games of various kinds kept little folks busy a greater part of the afternoon. Ice-cream and cake were served, and an enjoyable afternoon was spent by the parents as well as the children. There were about thirty-five present.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bell and Miss Gladys Bell returned home, Monday, from a visit with relatives at Kenton and Wharton.

Miss Hazel Peters, of Columbus, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Peters, of this place, the first of the week.

J. A. Dall was a business visitor to *Crestline, Wednesday.*

Misses Margaret and Elsie Mae Kellar, of Marion, are spending the week with Misses Lillie Mae and Iris Thombs.

Mrs. A. G. Willauer and daughter, Ruth, of Mt. Victory, are guests of relatives in LaRue, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spaulding, of Marion, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tannyhill, Tuesday evening, and attended the farmers' picnic, Wednesday.

Mrs. Wliiam Marsh was a business visitor in Marion, Tuesday.

J. P. Rhoads, of Creston, Iowa, was a guest of friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Crossen, of Marseilles, visited their son, Frank Crossen, and wife, of this place, Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Slagle and son, Ralph, left, Wednesday evening, for a two-weeks visit with relatives at Quincy and Pemberton.

Little Vera Lavisi, five-year-old daughter of Mrs. Lida Lavisi, had the misfortune to fall on a pair of scissors, last Friday afternoon, cutting a gash in her forehead. A physician was called, who took two stitches to close the wound.

Miss Lillie Mae Thombs returned home, Monday, from a visit with friends at Lima.

Mrs. J. B. Halstead went to Wellington, Wednesday, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Ford and family.

Miss Zelda Manley returned home, Tuesday, from a week's visit with relatives at Kenton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Thornburg entertained at dinner Saturday, Mrs. T. L. Leonard, and daughter, Zanza, Mrs. Frank Young, Master Walburg Brown and Leonard Sipple of Lorain.

C. H. Allen was a business visitor in Marion, Thursday.

F. M. Shely, of Dayton, was a business visitor in LaRue, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Thomasson, Misses Opal Crabb, Hazel Ledley, Edna Riley, Bertice Tilton and Carl Burbaugh, Davis McElheney, Ralph Kinnamon, C. Riley, of near LaRue, were visitors at Cedar Point last Saturday.

T. L. Leonard and grandsons, Leonard Sipple and Walburg Brown, returned to their home in Lorain, Saturday, after a visit with relatives in LaRue.

Miss Iris Thombs visited friends in Marion from Friday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Bell, of Union City, stopped off here, Sunday morning, and visited relatives for a few days. They were enroute home from a trip to Niagara Falls and other points in the East.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, of Lorain, came to LaRue, Thursday, to attend the Carter reunion. Mr. Anderson returned home, Sunday, but Mrs. Anderson will remain several weeks and visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Drake left, Saturday, for Cedar Point. They will visit other points up the lakes before returning home.

Misses Nora and Martha Frederick left, Saturday, for a two-weeks visit with relatives at Lorain.

Mrs. Minnie Myers and daughter, LaVerne, of Green Camp, are visiting relatives and friends in LaRue and vicinity, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Baughman, daughter, Leona, and son, R. N. Baughman, left, Saturday evening, for Buckeye lake, where they were joined by Miss Myrle Henkle, of Delaware, and their son, Ray Baughman, of Pittsburg, for a week's outing.

Paul Crider, of Kenton, has been the guest of his cousin, Wilbur Markwith, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rodgers and Miss Ocie Dilsaver went to Cleveland, Sunday morning. Mr. Rodgers returned, Tuesday evening, Mrs. Rodgers and Miss Dilsaver remaining the rest of the week to attend the millinery openings.

Rev. A. J. Bussard, of Quincy, a former pastor of the Methodist church of this place, attended the funeral of Mrs. E. E. Everett, of this place, Monday afternoon.

Miss Hazel Sharpe returned home, Monday evening, from a visit with relatives at Columbus.

Miss Mabel Corsel, of Sycamore, visited Miss Demeral Morris and Miss Elizabeth McElheny, of this place, the past week.

Mrs. G. E. Mouser, of Marion, visited in LaRue, Monday.

Mrs. James Hastings and son, Maxwell, have returned home from a visit with relatives at Ashtabula.

Miss Helena Mouser, of Marion, is the guest of relatives in LaRue this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Schultz and Miss Matea Paulsen visited relatives at DeCliff, Sunday.

Miss Zanza Leonard, of Lorain, who has been the guest of relatives here, the past week, will leave, Saturday, for Upper Sandusky, where she will visit relatives before returning home.

Mrs. N. Harden and daughter, Thelma, of Marion, were guests of relatives and friends in LaRue over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Knifflin and son, Karl, returned to their home in LaRue, Monday, after a few days' visit at the G. E. Mouser home in Marion.

Misses Mabel and Lucile Anderson, of Lorain, are visiting in LaRue and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Schmidt and son, Carol, of near Agosta, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. Paulsen, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cleveland visited relatives in Marion, Friday and Saturday.

Misses Margaret and Elizabeth Hinklin, of Marion, were guests of *Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Van Atta,* of this place, the latter part of last week.

Ralph Seitz and Grover and Kirk Schaibel have returned to Cleveland after a pleasant visit with relatives in LaRue and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. L. Markwith and guests, Mrs. James Markwith and daughtr, Helen and Lucle, of Greenville, were guests of relatives in Kenton, Friday.

Miss Josephine Worley, of Marion, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Crowley, Sr., this week.

C. P. Johnson, of Columbus, was called here, Wednesday, by the death of his brother, Harvey Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clark and daughter, Avis, of Ada, are making an extended visit with relatives in LaRue. Mr. Clark, who has been foreman in a larg store at Ada for the past three years, has resigned his position and will leave the 1st of September for a trip through the West, where he expects to locate.

Mrs. Frank Crossen left, Wednesday, to make a visit wtih relatives at Galion and Lorain.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson and daughter, Gladys, attended the Hardin county fair, Thursday.

TERRIBLE WRECK ON GRAND TRUNK

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running as train No. 14, stopped at Duffield, a little town four miles east of here to make some slight repairs to the locomotive. Engineer Bert Mitchell was under his engine when the crash came and was seriously injured. His fireman, George Nelson, was brought here, this morning, fatally scalded.

Brakeman C. E. Graham, of Detroit, had been sent back to the rear of No. 14, to post danger signals. He declares he struck his signals as ordered, but will not commit himself as to the rear lights of the train. He was brought here pending an investigation of the wreck.

Engineer Charles Spencer of passenger No. 4, was running fast to make up a few lost minutes, and declares that he put on brakes and reversed as soon as he heard the torpedo, placed on the tracks to warn him, but that it was too late. He claims No. 14, had no tail lights. dead.

Survivor's Story.

No. 4, ploughed through the rear Pullman like a stick through sand.

The passengers had no chance for their lives. It is declared here that both crews, with the exception of the engine crews, were strike-breakers, held over by the Grand Trunk.

One survivor here is Clinton A. Davis, No. 226 Stanley street, Montreal. He was enroute from Fargo, North Dakota, with his mother, who was an invalid, and a trained nurse. Davis states that both of these were burned to death in the fire and their bodies could not be recovered. He is burned about the face and cut in several places, but the physicians think he will recover.

J. H. Studymire, the colored porter on the Pullman coach, Nebraska, which was the one that was hit, says that he is not sure how many were in his coach. He was in the forward part of the train when the crash came and was uninjured.

R. W. Wallace, a newspaper man from Paducah, Kentucky, with four other men, was in the front coach of the wrecked train. When the collision came they were all thrown into a heap. As soon as he was able to get out, they started back to the rear of the train and assisted in removing the injured and those bodies that could be recovered.

Fiercely fighting the flames that were quickly making it impossible ever to know the complete cost of the wreck in human lives, the rescuers blistered their whole bodies taking out the headless body of a man. It was badly burned, but it is thought can be identified. Also they got out the body of a woman burned to a crisp. It is thought she never can be identified.

A Blazing Furnace.

Those bodies still in the blazing furnace are thought to have been the ones who were sleeping in the upper berths, and whose escape was doubly cut off. As all the killed except the trainmen were asleep in their berths, their identification is extremely difficult on account of the absence of clothing. It will be days before their identification is fully established, as relatives probably will have to come from far points to make the identifications.

The following partial list of the dead and the seriously injured, made up, early today, covers the dead and injured here. Railroad officials here now declare that no dead were taken to Flint.

Forms Rescue Corps.

London, Ont., Aug. 25.—S. B. Blake, of Chicago, who was on the wrecked Grand Trunk train No. 14, while enroute to Toronto, arrived here, this morning. He said he had a premonition of a wreck and was relating it to a fellow passenger when the smash came.

Blake was thrown from his seat, but not badly hurt. Going out, he found the fireman, fearfully scalded, beside the track and carried him into a car, where the women tore up their skirts to make bandages.

Dr. Malley, of Chicago, going to Montreal, was the only physician on the train. He set the women to tearing up sheets and blankets into bandages, and organized the men into a rescue corps, himself attending to the injured as they were *brought in.*

Conductor Thomas, of Niagara Falls, who saw a woman in a lower berth above which the flames raged, crawled under the engine from the flames and rescued her.

S. B. Ashbury, of South Bend, found a woman cut in two on the tracks, and others in the Pullman, but was powerless to get them out, owing to the fierceness of the flames.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL ENJOYS A PICNIC

At the Morris Grove Near Green Camp This Week

Green Camp O Aug 2[illegible] [Special]—A jolly little picnic party composed of the members of Miss Mary Fish's Sunday school class spent last Thursday in the Morris grove near town, the little girls spent the happy hours in swinging and various games enjoyable to childhood at noon an elegant picnic dinner was enjoyed Miss Madaline Debolt was the only guest of the class

Mr and Mrs John Davis of Marion were the guests of friends here Sunday

Mrs Sarah Bentz of near LaRue took suddenly ill this week while visiting her son J B Bentz and is unable to return to her home

Mr and Mrs Roy Collins and baby of LaRue were the guests of Mr and Mrs George Collins Sunday

Jacob [illegible] took a little pleasure trip into Michigan last week

Mrs Gertrude Porter was a Crestline visitor last week

Mrs Laura Andrews and granddaughter Miss Gladys Wing of Continental visited Mrs Andrews sister Mrs Mae Wynn at this place last week

Mr and Mrs James Johnston of Oak Hill spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Raymond

Mrs Lorena Cobb was a sightseer at Niagara Falls last week

Mr and Mrs B B Porter and son and Charles Dowell of Marion were Sunday visitors of Mr and Mrs T C Porter Sunday

Mr and Mrs J W Free and son William of Marion were here Sunday the guests of Dr and Mrs D Free

Mr and Mrs S I Bricker and son Paul Walter Bricker and wife and Mr and Mrs Frank Bricker went over to Cedar Point in their automobile and spent the day returning late Sunday night

Mr and Mrs Allen [illegible] and daughters of Jamestown N Y [illegible] were here a few days last week the guests of Mr [illegible]'s mother

Arlise Porter of Mansfield spent Sunday with his parents Mr and Mrs D H Porter

Next Sunday afternoon will be Home Coming at the M E church A fine program is being arranged and a number of the former ministers will participate in the happy occasion

Mrs Jennie Stout and Miss Mildred [illegible] of Marion were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs J R Hopkins of Oak Hill

Mr and Mrs Ward Barr and son of Cleveland were entertained by Mr and Mrs Harry Watts of Railroad street last week

Miss Ella Cadwallader of Delaware was the guest of her friend Mrs Eva Wottring a few days last week

Mr and Mrs William Long were over at Agosta Sunday

Charles [illegible] residing north of town is suffering a slight attack of typhoid fever

Mrs Carl Smith and babies of Richwood are visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs W N Porter

Rev J W Wynn was called to Kipton last Saturday to attend a funeral

Mr and Mrs George Christian Mr and Mrs Fred Dombaugh were at dinner Tuesday by Mr and Mrs Frank Morris

Mr and Mrs A I Schafer spent Sunday in Marion

Mrs Blanch Porter is a business visitor at Cleveland this week

Mr and Mrs Ben Fish and son Glenn were over at LaRue Sunday the guests of Mr and Mrs Jacob Wisecarver

Miss Blanch Thomas of Marion is the guest of her mother Mrs Martha Thomas this week

Miss Inez Johnson of Marion spent Sunday at the home of her parents Mr and Mrs Hiram Johnson

Mr and Mrs John Snavley Messrs Bart and Lloyd Snavley Mrs Gertrude Dutt and Mrs Lottie Bisel came over from McComb in a touring car and spent last week visiting their many friends at this place

Mr and Mrs J B Patten shared the hospitality of their beautiful country home [illegible] the following guests last week Eliza Patten of Lamont Oklahoma Mrs Margaret Patten of Homer Idaho Mr and Mrs Sam Wolf of Albion Indiana Mr and Mrs Robert Wolf of Nelsonville and Mr and Mrs Arnold of Columbus

MRS ISABELLE BRANT DIES TUESDAY EVENING

Neuralgia of the Heart Is Cause of Death

Mrs Isabelle Brant eighty three years old widow of John Brant died of neuralgia of the heart at the home of her daughter Miss Laura A Brant No 2[illegible] Oak street shortly after [illegible] o'clock Tuesday evening

Mrs Brant was a native of Stark county and had lived in Marion about ten years

The funeral service was held at the late residence Thursday morning at 8 [illegible]0 o'clock Mrs K J [illegible] officiating Burial took place in the cemetery at Nevada

Miss Stella Stark of south State street returned home Wednesday from a ten days visit in Erie Pennsylvania and at Niagara Falls

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SCORES MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

Made It Plain That He Is Tired of Its Bickerings—Carmine and Bolander Elected Guthery and Dickerson Oppose Them Other Recommendations of Dr Hartman

Superintendent Henry A Hartman nominated A J Carmine and Thomas E Bolander for grade principalships and the board of education confirmed his nominations after a long and bitter wrangle at an adjourned meeting held at the High school building Wednesday night

The meeting was featured by a fiery address by the new superintendent who boldly told the board he was tired of its bickerings and gave the members emphatically to understand that he would not wait until later as some of them desired to do in making his nominations with regard to Messrs Carmine and Bolander At times Dr Hartman grew eloquent and so earnest he became that his voice rang loudly

The school teacher's business is *to teach school* said the new superintendent after prefacing this remark with the statement that school teachers must not be by going to one member of the board and telling a certain thing, and then going to another board member and telling something else A school teacher must be manly or womanly truth stands higher than anything else in the schools

According to Dr Hartman's statement it is not altogether a question of knowledge with regard to the competency of school teachers He said he had known many big college graduates who were failures as teachers A great deal necessarily depended he said upon the character of the teacher and the example set before the pupils He scored the board because so much notoriety had come to it and its quarrel has thus been brought glaringly before the little boys and girls who must attend the schools

I want this matter settled Dr Hartman fairly shouted If there be any personal bickerings please put them aside for the best interests of the children and of the schools I want to work with you to the best advantage of the schools

The superintendent argued for men principals in the schools He declared that it was a part of God's plan for children to have the influence of both man and woman in the schools as well as in the home For this reason he believed that men should teach as well as women I have lain awake until [illegible] o'clock in the morning studying over the situation continued Dr Hartman This friction in the board gets on my nerves For God's sake men get together and do something! I want to promise you that if there be a teacher in these schools who does not do the work properly you will have no trouble from this source in the spring You must get together I will not wait until the shadow of the opening of these schools falls to make my nominations

Dr Hartman closed by saying that the board should prefer to make the best out of a sad dilemma

Clerk O C Briggs declared that W A Longbon a member of the city board of school examiners ought to be removed The conditions that prevail here are a disgrace he said

Member I I Guthery said he did not want to hurt anybody but stated that he had seen the questions and answers in the examination of Mr Carmine and Mr Bolander He was sure that a majority of the people of Marion would have failed them the same as Examiner Longbon had done He was opposed to their election as teachers or principals even though they had been given one year certificates to teach in the city schools by a majority of the board of examiners on the strength of the fact that they had passed the county examination In the first place he said it was establishing a bad precedent and because of the far more important fact that their usefulness had been destroyed even if they were the best teachers in the world

President H Edmund Hill was inclined to favor a suggestion that the matter of electing Mr Carmine and Mr Bolander be passed over until after the examinations to be held Wednesday and Thursday August [illegible] and September [illegible] when they would have been given another [illegible] opportunity to take a fair examination with all the examiners acting [illegible] and not any one member

[illegible] Dr Hartman [illegible] to recommend to [illegible] as you please [illegible] as to whether [illegible] would [illegible] as principal It was [illegible] had left [illegible] Cleveland without saying whether he would accept a position here

Superintendent Hartman explained that M[illegible] had told him that he had [illegible] made up his mind as to what he is going to do I [illegible] nominate him he said, because a teacher does not know what he is going to do we do not want him

Member M B Dickerson objected to Messrs Carmine and Bolander because he said he believed the one year certificates granted to them by the examiners were not legal and wondered why they had not been given three year certificates instead of one year certificates He said he could see no logic in the action of the board of examiners in granting them certificates after they had failed when in another week they would be given a fair chance to take the examination again and get possibly a two year or three year certificate He added that the next examination would be conducted so there would be no opportunity for alleged unfairness in view of the fact that each examiner would go over the questions presented by the other and grade them all together as the law intended the examinations should be conducted

Member Dickerson further remarked that an attempt was being made to railroad them through and Member Jacoby retorted that an attempt was being made to railroad them out

Member Guthery wanted to know what was the use of having a city board of examiners if certificates were going to be issued to failed applicants because they had passed the county examinations He declared the city examiners had been too lax in the past

Member Jacoby expressed a willingness to vote for a revocation of Examiner Longbon's appointment

Member Dickerson retorted that he had not proposed Mr Longbon as an examiner

Finally after considerable more discussion, Dr Hartman was permitted to proceed with his nominations For the High school he recommended W I Morgan aged twenty eight of Athens and F C Gegenheimer aged twenty five of Vermilion, who were unanimously elected at salaries of $1 000 a year For the grades Misses Elizabeth Rexroth Miss Reta Anderson Mrs Carrie Durr and W C Schnders the latter a principal were next elected unanimously Miss Rexroth is to receive a salary of $[illegible] a month Miss Anderson $[illegible] Mrs Durr $[illegible] and Mr Schnders $7[illegible]

The nominations of Mr Carmine and Mr Bolander were voted on last Members Guthery and Dickerson voting against their election As Members Hill Jacoby Pennell and Briggs voted for them however, they were declared elected They will receive salaries of $7[illegible] a month

Superintendent Hartman was then instructed to place the teachers as best he could for the opening of the school September 1[illegible] Three or four teachers are yet to be elected in the grades and they will be chosen at the next board meeting

Harry E Carpenter and David Vestal and S N Titus were nominated for the position of truant officer at a salary of $2[illegible] a month but following a discussion as to the candidates and the small salary it was decided to defer the election until the next meeting

Superintendent Hartman was empowered to employ a private stenographer for a period of ten months at a salary not to exceed $10[illegible] a month He was elected a member of the executive committee of the County and City Teachers institute

The superintendent recommended a new course of study in the High school that permits a student to change his or her study at the close of the second year The classical course is the same as last year while in the scientific course it is practically the same geology in the third year and zoology in the fourth year being dropped In the commercial course the change is decidedly different from last year As arranged by the new superintendent it is as follows

English [illegible] ancient history and Latin or German first year English [illegible] modern history and American history and Latin or German [illegible] year English bookkeeping half year shorthand and typewriting half year commercial [illegible] and one year commercial [illegible] third year English [illegible] penmanship bookkeeping stenography and typewriting half year [illegible] economy and half year commercial law fourth year

A [illegible] urging the [illegible] permission to locate a normal [illegible] Upper Sandusky was unanimously adopted at the request of the Upper Sandusky board of education

It was [illegible] o'clock when the board adjourned

MISS EMMA AND MR GEORGE HARRUFF

Entertain Friends at Their Home on Central Avenue

Miss [illegible] and Mr George Harruff [illegible] entertained a few friends at their home on south Seffner [illegible] Wednesday evening in honor of their sister Mrs Paddock and [illegible] and Elizabeth Shaw [illegible] who have been their guests [illegible] past week [illegible] of vocal and instrumental music a luncheon was served

Those present were Misses [illegible] Florence Williams [illegible] Blanche Spitzer Ella [illegible] and Emma O'Dowd Messrs [illegible] Hurt Dorwood Dis[illegible] [illegible] Bricker Harry Smith [illegible] Smith and Harry Thiel [illegible]

REAL ESTATE

A H Alexander to Madge Bigley lot in Marion $1 [illegible]00

John H Pain and others to J J Price two lots in Marion $600

William W Carr to Lydia Simmons lot in LaRue $[illegible]00

Maria E Crawford to William C Phillians five and one half acres in Marion one dollar

Margaret C Clark to F M McClung ten acres in Big Island township $1 [illegible]00

John A Loos to Thomas A Cluff about thirty six acres in Grand Prairie township one dollar

James P Guthery to Caddie B Tanner part of two lots in Marion $1 700

William I Hoffmire to E J Ter Eyck lot in Marion $1 200

William I Jones to J J Price lot in Marion $300

William I Jones to J L Price two lots in Marion $600

William I Jones to J J Price lot in Marion $[illegible]00

Clovee Longshore and others to James S Bonner [illegible] acres in Big Island township one dollar

Isaac Longshore and others to James S Bonner [illegible] acres in Big Island township one dollar

Charles Miller to Gottleib Kohberger lot in Marion $1 [illegible]0

Edward S Moon to Mary A Teeter part of two lots in Marion one dollar

William C Phillians to J M Hamilton five and one half acres in Marion one dollar

Fred W Peers to Frank I Lee lot in Marion $[illegible]

Emma E Pettit to John W Thew part of two lots in Marion $1 100

John G Stark by sheriff to Hoke W Donithen 17 100 acres and part of four lots in Marion $[illegible] 00

Jesse B Walker to William I Jones lot in Marion $100

Arris D Mitchell to Marshall Markey lot in Marion $10 000

Marshall Markey to Arris D Mitchell 12 [illegible] acres in Big Island and Montgomery townships $7 [illegible]00

Levi M Yake and others to George Hatz part of lot in Marion $[illegible]

Thomas E Merchant and others to Fred C [illegible] twenty acres in Big Island township $1 [illegible]0

Christena Schweinfurth and other to Truman C Lewis part of two lots in Marion $[illegible] 00

Milk is excellent for cleaning oil cloth

To Move to Marion

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JUAN ESTRADA'S PROMPT ACTION

Is Pleasing to the American Diplomats

PRESIDENT MAKES REPARATION OFFER

In Matter of Murder of the Yankees

While the United States Has Endeavored to Maintain an Attitude of Neutrality There Has Been an Unofficial Understanding That Estrada Faction Is More Acceptable to This Country

Washington Aug 2 —The prompt action of General Juan Estrada victorious leader in Nicaragua and the new president in offering to make reparation for the murder by ex-President Zelaya of the American citizens Groce and Cannon is looked upon here as indicating that an amicable settlement soon will be reached and diplomatic relations with Nicaragua quickly restored.

While the United States has endeavored to maintain an attitude of neutrality there has been an unofficial understanding all along that the Estrada faction was more acceptable to this country.

Estrada has always been friendly with the United States. This revolution developed from conditions under the Zelaya regime similar to those which led to the break between this government and Zelaya.

Chief Feature

The chief feature of the rupture was the execution of two Americans and action which has been termed murder by the state department. Secretary of State Knox has met every suggestion of settlement with some reference to the Groce and Cannon cases which he had firmly determined must be settled before any agreement could be reached.

The victory of Estrada is looked upon here with favor. Persons familiar with Nicaraguan affairs say any other solution would have led to further strife.

Juan Estrada is looked upon as one big man developing from the situation and the only one capable of establishing the government upon a firm basis.

Welcome New Rule

Managua Nicaragua Aug 2 — The government today is in the hands of General Chamorro who with General Mena is preparing for a grand reception to be given tomorrow upon the triumphant entry of General Juan Estrada.

There is still some rioting and the Estrada soldiers have been placed on guard all over the city. Especial care has been taken to guard the American consulate against attack by the Madriz followers.

General Estrada will be greeted as the leader of the successful revolution and immediately declared president of the provisional government.

The people welcome the new regime and already are planning for a season of peace and prosperity which is so greatly needed.

All political prisoners have been set free and on all sides most of the citizens welcome the new rule with rejoicing.

HAS RECONSIDERED HIS RESIGNATION

Acting President Mendoza Will Retain His Post

[illegible] Aug —Under the influence of his secretary M Morales [illegible] anti-American Acting President Mendoza has reconsidered his [illegible] and today announced [illegible] would retain his post.

It is freely predicted today that American marines will have to be [illegible] to insure a peaceful outcome of the national assembly's election of a president on September 1. The [illegible] which is composed of [illegible] liberals and eight Conservatives [illegible] turbulence and it is [illegible] that it will select some one [illegible] the unexpired term of President Obaldia who died shortly after [illegible] and in whose place Mendoza has been serving as [illegible] president who will be distasteful not only to Washington but [illegible] part of the Panama republic.

Colonel Stuckey Is Dead

[illegible] O Aug 23— [illegible] John D Stuckey a member of [illegible] staff and a former [illegible] of this city died at his home in [illegible]

HARRY M. DAUGHERTY

Discusses Ohio Situation With New York Reporters

PRIZE BARKER IS LEFT BIG FORTUNE

Gardner Says He Is Getting Used to Such Surprises

New York Aug 2 —Coney Island prize barker Delmar S Gardner who by vocal gymnastics lures the gullible to come inside and see Hubbe Hubbe king of the cannibals is today speaking in whispers. A lawyer from the south caused the near disaster when he appeared last night and informed the barker that he had fallen heir to something like $100 000.

Delmar Gardner fully expects to *recover from the shock*. He explained today that he is getting used to such surprises. Ten years ago his father Major Robert S Gardner for twenty years an inspector of Indian agencies for the government died and left him a quarter of a million. The race tracks got that.

The latest fortune comes to Gardner at the death of his mother at Clarksburg West Virginia.

COLUMBUS LEADS TOLEDO IN GROWTH

Capital City 181 518 and Toledo Shows 168 197

Washington Aug 2 —The census bureau yesterday announced that the present population of Toledo Ohio is 168 [illegible] showing an increase of [illegible] or [illegible] per cent since 1900 when Toledo had [illegible] inhabitants.

Columbus goes ahead of Toledo in their race the Ohio capital having 181 [illegible] people. In 1900 the census showed that Columbus had 12[illegible] which gave Toledo the lead at that time.

Columbus grew much faster in the last ten years showing a gain of [illegible] against the gain of [illegible] shown by Toledo.

In the decade from 1890 to 1900 Toledo grew rapidly gaining [illegible]

FIGURING ON FIRING THE OPENING GUN

Governor May Decide To Favor Crawford County First

Columbus O Aug 2 —Governor Harmon and Hugh S Nichols chairman of the Democratic state executive committee are pondering over the proposition to open the state campaign at Bucyrus next month.

Crawford county of which Bucyrus is the county seat gave Harmon a plurality of [illegible] over his two years ago and was the banner county of the state in percentage of Democratic gain. It strikes both the governor and Nichols therefore that it might be proper to honor Bucyrus and Crawford county by firing the opening gun of the 1910 campaign within their borders.

STATE WILL HELP NEWLY BORN BABES

Will Furnish Sterilized Dropper and Nitrate of Silver to Doctors

Columbus O Aug 2 Every registered physician in Ohio will receive from the state board of health acting in conjunction with the Ohio commission for the blind a sterilized dropper and a small quantity of nitrate of silver to be used in treating the eyes of some newly born babe.

Half the blindness is preventable says a letter that accompanies the drug and dropper. It is pointed out that it is the failure of physicians and parents to treat the eyes of newly born babes with nitrate of silver that results in much of the blindness that prevails. By using a few drops of the silver [illegible] germs are killed before they have time to destroy the sight of the child.

DENIES BREAK WITH COLONEL

Taft Writes Letter to Chairman Griscom

TAFT EXPLAINS HIS ATTITUDE

President Wants Harmony in the Party.

States That He Counsel New York State Leaders To Confer with Roosevelt Before Selecting Convention Chairman—Letter Does Away with Many Wild Stories About Break with Roosevelt

New York Aug 2 —In a letter received by Lloyd C Griscom from President Taft it was made clear that the latter had no hand in the alleged trickery at the meeting of the Republican state committee last Tuesday at which Vice President Sherman was selected as temporary chairman of the state convention in place of Colonel Roosevelt. Mr Taft also asserts that he insisted that before any choice be made by the committee Mr Roosevelt should be consulted.

Mr Taft over the long distance phone and by means of telegraph messages had expressly told the leaders of the regulars as the Woodruff-Barnes combination like to call themselves that if there was any disaffection likely to arise at the meeting his name was not to be used and that on the contrary in the interests of harmony he wished that the members of the state committee would consult before the meeting with Mr Griscom and Mr Roosevelt.

Mr Roosevelt was not consulted. In order to carry out their promise to the president Mr Ward and Mr Barnes it is true did meet Mr Roosevelt by appointment in the Manhattan hotel but that was an hour after the meeting of the state committee.

Story Without Foundation

Mr Griscom after the meeting on Tuesday stated that Mr Taft had told him that he would do nothing which might seem antagonistic to Mr Roosevelt and Mr Griscom stated further that he was sure that the statement made by Mr Woodruff Mr Barnes and the others who led the movement for the choice of Mr Sherman that their action had been sanctioned by Mr Taft was entirely without foundation.

When Mr Woodruff just after the meeting was told what Mr Griscom had said the state chairman insinuated that Mr Griscom ought to be enrolled as a member of the Ananias club. He said that Mr Sherman with whom he had a long talk on the night before had spoken with Mr Taft over the phone as had also Mr Ward and that both had been assured by the president that it could be announced at the meeting that the selection of Mr Sherman had his approval.

So far from Mr Taft sending any such message to either of these men he sent a telegram to Mr Sherman insisting that before any action was taken by the committee Mr Roosevelt should be consulted with and that if there was need reasonable concessions should be made with the progressives both with regard to platform and candidates.

The letter from President Taft to Mr Griscom does away altogether with the wild stories which have been floating around for more than a week past to the effect that there is a break between Mr Taft and Mr Roosevelt. As this letter shows the president had nothing to do with the turning down of Roosevelt by the state committee. It was in fact his hope that there should be harmony at the meeting.

Attitude Unchanged

[illegible] letter [illegible] President Taft [illegible] Griscom repudiating Vice President Sherman. Mr [illegible] that his position in regard to the New York state situation had not [illegible] and there is nothing to change [illegible] The colonel declared that since the meeting there has been no reason why he should meet the state leaders and that their action at the meeting has made the situation such that it allows no compromise. He could not tell at present how far the situation will be changed by the president's letter.

From what the colonel said it is unlikely that he will attend the convention unless he is forced to do so. He told his friends right along that he wanted to keep out because he did not care to get mixed up in a factional fight. He considered that Sherman as temporary chairman would make that stand necessary but he may change his mind later. Whatever action he does take will not be announced until after his return from his western trip.

The colonel smiled when the president's letter was read to him. He chuckled at certain parts of it. Then he gave out this statement: "I am very glad to see President Taft's statement and am pleased with it. Before the meeting of the state committee I had repeatedly expressed to various leaders not merely my willingness but my desire to see them. Since the meeting I have not thought that there was any particular object in meeting them as owing to their action the situation had become such as to admit of no compromise and I had nothing to add to what I had already said. I may add that I have not changed my mind now."

Colonel Is Pleased

New York Aug [illegible] Just before his special car pulled out for the West today Colonel Roosevelt held a hasty conference with Lloyd Griscom chairman of the New York county committee Collector William Loeb and his son-in-law Nicholas Longworth and for the first time publicly announced his intention of going to the Republican state convention to fight.

"I am very much pleased with Mr Taft's statement," Roosevelt said as he emerged from the car. "I think it makes the situation perfectly good. If Nassau county wishes me to go to the state convention I shall go as I regard the issue as now absolutely clean cut. As far as I am concerned there will be not a particle of compromise."

There was a small party of the colonel's personal friends at the station to see him off including besides the politicians Dr Lawrence Abbott and Dr Silas McBee Mrs Roosevelt and Mrs Nicholas Longworth.

Mrs Roosevelt accompanied the Colonel as far as Harlem but the others said good by in the train shed.

Griscom and Loeb were the first to appear and as soon as they arrived Roosevelt pulled them into the car and into his state room.

Approves Letter

A few minutes later Longworth arrived and he was at once admitted to the conference. The situation was hurriedly canvassed and then Roosevelt went outside to say good by to his friends.

Lieutenant H T Thornton an Australian globe trotter was introduced by Dr Abbott and Roosevelt paid a tribute to Australia and its residents saying that he had several Australians in his regiment and that they had proven fine men. He said he intends to visit Australia some day.

Roosevelt then announced his approval of the president's letter and his intention of fighting in the convention completing his statement as the train pulled out.

Discussing his conference with Roosevelt Griscom positively asserted that the Roosevelt forces will be in control when the state convention meets.

"After Colonel Roosevelt learned the truth about what was done by the organization Republicans he did just what he should have done—repudiated them. There was nothing else left for him to do. He is now [illegible] people than ever before especially since the commencement of the present administration," said Griscom.

Collector Loeb and Congressman Longworth had nothing to say.

Muddled Situation

New York Aug 23—When Colonel Theodore Roosevelt departed from the Grand Central station at 10 [illegible] today for his western tour he left behind him the worst muddled political situation that has prevailed in the Republican party in New York since the commencement of the stalwart half breed fight years ago.

The letter of President Taft to Lloyd Griscom repudiating any intention of the president to fight Colonel Roosevelt and his statement that the Old Guard in forcing the state committee to select Vice President Sherman over Roosevelt as temporary chairman of the Republican state convention acted without his sanction admittedly changes the entire complexion of conditions confronting the party. It is generally construed as indicating that a Hughes-Roosevelt-Taft combination will control the state convention and that Vice President Sherman may not deliver the keynote speech after all.

Sherman had been expected in New York today. Shortly after the publication of the president's letter however it was announced from Utica that he was not coming but pressing business affairs necessitated his presence today in Watertown in the extreme northern portion of the state.

County Chairman Griscom who has handled the Roosevelt forces in their two most conspicuous defeats in this state the rejection of the direct primary plan and of Roosevelt's temporary chairmanship boom predicted quite emphatically today that Roosevelt will be the tempor

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ESTRADA WINS; MADRIZ SKIPS

The Battle Ends the Revolt in Nicaragua

INSURGENT FORCES NOW IN CONTROL

Washington Authorities Receive Particulars

Populace of Managua in Tumult and Rush Through Streets Shouting Death to the Yankees—Head of De Facto Government Prepares To Go into Voluntary Exile—General Rivas Is Killed in Battle

Washington Aug 22—The state department has received full particulars of the downfall of the Madriz government in Nicaragua the complete defeat of his troops on the 18th instant and the crossing of the Tipitapa river by the invading army of Estrada being confirmed. The troops of General Toledo who commanded the Madriz faction were stampeded and fled to Managua. The family of Madriz had left Managua for Corinto and were to be followed by Dr Madriz who after having relinquished the remnant of his authority was preparing to flee the country. The advices declare that Managua was in turmoil and that hostile demonstrations were being *made against* the United States.

The following statement was made public by the state department:

A telegram sent via Tegucigalpa Honduras by Mr Olivares the consul at Managua under date of Aug 19 confirms the fact that the army of the Estrada faction defeated the troops of the Madriz faction on the 18th instant and effected a crossing of the Tipitapa river. The consul also states that it was reported that the Estrada forces south of Granada had inflicted a severe defeat upon a strong column of Madriz troops in that neighborhood and that it seemed to be the unanimous public opinion at Managua that the power of Madriz was steadily weakening and that his overthrow might be momentarily threatened. There was much apprehension at Managua owing to the apprehension of an attack since the contending armies were only 20 miles away.

Troops Seized With Panic

From another telegram from the consul dated the 19th it appears that the entire invading army of the Estrada faction had crossed the Tipitapa river. General Toledo who commanded the Madriz forces on the Tipitapa river had already reached Managua and reported that his troops were seized with panic and fled when attacked by the Estrada forces [illegible] the 18th some of the routed troops going to Granada and others having already arrived at Managua. The consul mentions a current report that houses in Granada had been sacked by the Madriz troops and that the city was then being assaulted by the Estrada forces.

Mr Olivares further reports that Dr Madriz has stated it to be his purpose to turn over to Jose Dolores Estrada a brother of General Juan Estrada [illegible] de facto authority actually in his hands and that Jose Dolores Estrada has declared that he will in turn make way for the leaders of the Estrada revolution. The family of Dr Madriz had left Managua for Corinto and Dr Madriz was expected to follow the next day with the object of leaving the country. General Irias and his family and General Toledo were also preparing to leave Nicaragua on the 20th. Managua is stated to be in a turmoil of *excitement the consul reports that* some followers of Madriz are manifesting open hostility to the United States roaming the streets and crying Death to the Yankees. The legation and consulates are under a heavy police guard and the general situation [illegible] reported to be very threatening.

Later advices however were as follows:

A telegram dated Aug 20 from Mr Johnson consul at Corinto confirms what Mr Olivares reports as to the supposed intentions of the Madriz faction. Mr Johnson reports that the family of Dr Madriz arrived at Corinto on the 19th that General Toledo and the family of General Irias arrived on the 20th that it is reported that General Toledo will take the first opportunity to leave the country and that Dr Madriz General Irias and others were expected at Corinto the night of the 20th the report being that they would leave on the gunboat [illegible] or the northbound Pacific Mail steamer on Monday the 22nd

FRITZ A HEINZE

Copper King's Heart Pierced by Cupid's Dart

Granada Has Fallen

Bluefields via wireless to Colon Aug 22 Several hundred government troops commanded by General Rivas attacked Generals Mena and Chamorro who were occupying a position on the outskirts of Granada the principal city of Nicaragua on the Pacific coast. After desperate fighting the Madrizites were defeated General Rivas being killed.

POPE DISAPPROVES FEMININE ATTIRE

Women Protest Against the Interference of the Church

Rome Aug [illegible]—Priests in the dioceses of Milan Turin and Venice announced today that they will no longer give absolution to those women who offend in the matter of extreme styles in dress.

This move is taken in response to a request made by the Pope that the bishops issue pastoral letters disapproving the prevailing styles of feminine attire.

The dresses worn by the leaders of fashion especially at the Italian resorts are characterized as scandalous. Women are protesting against what is termed unwarranted interference by the church.

FATHER MARRIES HIS DEAD SON'S FIANCEE

Widower Wins Girl Shortly After Son's Death

Portsmouth O Aug 23—George T Martin forty five carpenter of Lucasville Monday married the fiancee of his dead son. The bride Miss Maud Downs is only nineteen years old. The widower won her soon after the death of his son Arthur Martin last June a month before they were to have been married.

Disparity in Length or Limbs

According to the result of many measurements made at the anthropological laboratory in London the right arm in human beings is in a majority of cases longer than the left arm while on the contrary the left leg is longer than the right leg. Sometimes however the relative proportions are exactly reversed but very seldom does perfect equality exist between the two sides. The tendency of the right arm to exceed the left arm in strength is somewhat greater in men than in women while equality of strength in the two arms occurs almost twice as frequently with women as with men.

Seek Way to Utilize Wood

Much attention and thought states the Chemical Trades Journal have been bestowed by those engaged in the breaking up of battle ships and other craft as to the profitable disposal of the large quantities of wood obtained from the various vessels in course of destruction. Although there is much useful timber got that can be sold for re-use there is a considerable quantity that is splintered to such an extent that renders it practically valueless. One or two firms are contemplating putting down wood distillation plants to utilize the hitherto valueless wood.

Tan in the Tropics

Some whites in the tropics do not tan but take on a peculiar whitish color even when the blood is strong and healthy. This is strikingly true in damp hot places and one sees some of the whitest people of Barbados.

Keep Up Cheerful Courage

Everything is changing constantly, and as the procession goes on our attitude and point of view change. Keep up a cheerful courage and you will see through sunny perspectives.

FOREST FIRES GO UNCHECKED

[illegible] Can End Western Conflagration

MANY TOWNS IN PATH OF FLAMES

Property Loss Will Reach into the Millions

Relief Trains Operate to All Sections of the Devastated Regions—People Pray in Vain for Downpour of Rain—Montana Governor Ready To Call Upon Militia for Aid Many Known Dead

Helena Mont Aug 23—The worst forest fires known in the history of the United States are sweeping over [illegible] 000 square miles of timberland in western Montana and eastern Idaho and as much more territory has been laid waste. The property loss is already $20 000 000 according to careful estimates and the desperate efforts of an army of 5 000 men to fight the flames have proven futile.

At Wallace Idaho where a third of the city was destroyed with $1 000 000 loss and the death of [illegible]4 persons a fight is being made to save the rest of the town.

Preparations to call out the militia in Montana were made by Governor Norris who has been touring the state.

It is believed that the death list would be over [illegible]00 when the final accounting is made. Fully [illegible]00 persons have been reported missing and the known dead number more than 50.

Towns in Danger

These towns in Montana are known to be destroyed deserted or cut off from the world and their fate is unsettled Newport Deborgia Gallatin Thompson Falls Belknap White Pine Noxon Seron Taft Saltese St Regis Haughan Anderson Libby Lurcka Avon and Sylvanite.

Twenty thousand people have been made homeless.

Throughout the northwest prayers were said for rain. Every resource of man has been tried without avail, only nature itself can stop this devastation.

Through the blazing mountain country relief expeditions are trying to force their way from a dozen points. Municipalities and fraternal bodies have organized parties to go to the relief of the sufferers. The Northern Pacific the Oregon Railway & Navigation company and the Spokane electric line systems have put at their disposal special trains.

Work of Incendiaries

Washington Aug 23 Belief that the alarming spread of the forest fires in Idaho Montana and Oregon is due to incendiarism was confirmed in a telegram received here by Acting Chief Forester Potter from Associate District Forester Cecil in Oregon.

Six Charred Bodies Found

St Joe Idaho Aug 23 Dead bodies of six forest fire fighters were found in Elk river valley near Avery. They were with a party of [illegible]. Their companions are still missing. Search is continuing for the others.

Strange Death

It would seem that there are still some causes of death which have not as yet come within the scope of the medical man's observation—certainly not of his registration. Thus we read of a man in a southwestern city who died as the result of having trumped his partner's ace. And one of our contemporaries who is more sophisticated in these matters than we are, commenting upon the incident remarks that there is only one thing that is more positively fatal than trumping your partner's ace and that is tickling the hind legs of a mule. So far as we are able to learn careful and complete prophylaxis is the only effective preventive.

China's Ancient Canal

In an age of canals and canal projects the Grand canal which the Chinese dug far back in the dark ages of European civilization has not yet been rivaled in length. It is 650 miles long and it has never ceased to be useful to the millions that live near its banks through all its seven centuries of bearing witness to the capacity of the ancient lands of the east for great undertakings.

The Good Housewife

The special qualities a good housewife ought to possess may be summed up as punctuality tidy ways quiet observation and good organizing powers.

HOLD ACTRESS ON SUSPICION

Friend Is Found Injured in the Metropolis

WOMAN TELLS STORY TO THE AUTHORITIES

Claims Vanderbilt Falls from Her Window

Man Supposed To Be Wealthy Philadelphian Is Rushed to Hospital and Is Placed Under Guard by Police with Charge of Attempted Burglary Against Him—Two Men Also Held by Police

New York, Aug. 22.—A woman and two men are under arrest and the police are endeavoring today to establish the identity of a man found very seriously injured in the rear of a theatrical boarding house at No. 261, west Forty Second street early today. In the man's pockets were found engraved cards reading "Bert Vanderbilt, Lambs club," but at the club all knowledge of him was denied. The police believe he is a wealthy Philadelphian but so far have failed to identify him.

The woman detained at headquarters is Edith Imen, an actress with the Jardin De Paris company, and the men are William, better known as Kid Broad, a prize fighter, and Ralph Gillespie. All live in the boarding house.

Miss Imen claims to know positively that Vanderbilt is a member of the Lambs and says he is connected with the wealthy Vanderbilts. Her story is that he has been a friend of hers for a number of years and called last night to take her to dinner.

Falls from Window

Miss Imen says he had been drinking and that she refused to go out with him. She left the house but when she returned early today the bellboy told her that Vanderbilt was in Broad's room waiting for her. She refused to see him. She had been asleep for some time, she told the police, when a noise at her window awakened her. She found Vanderbilt there, she says, and ordered him away but he tried to climb into the window and fell three stories.

Assitant District Attorneys Moss and Hammil were notified by the police after Vanderbilt had been rushed to Flower hospital and they ordered Miss Imen and the two men detained. They also interviewed Miss Beryl I. Vernon of No. 132 Pine street, Philadelphia, who roomed next door to Miss Imen but she claimed to know nothing of the matter and was not molested. A charge of attempted burglary was booked against Vanderbilt and he is under guard in the hospital although he may not recover.

At Flower hospital the nurses said that written inside Vanderbilt's clothing was the name "Frank I. Dornseifer, Cincinnati, Ohio." He has not recovered consciousness.

SOME TRIUMPHAL PROCESSIONS

By William T. Ellis

The International Sunday-School Lesson for August 28 Is "Jesus Entering Jerusalem" Matt 21 1-17

Religion should always be interpreted in the present tense. Its latest expressions should supplement its historical records. Thus the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem which the Sunday schools study today needs to be recalled in connection with the triumph which He is achieving today.

Two modern instances come to mind. There is the procession to Oberammergau this summer. From every direction and from remotest distances travellers have been wending their way to the little Bavarian village which once a decade celebrates the passion of Christ. Many of the travellers go by cheapest routes and at the cost of much economy; others, by the hundreds, travel in their private automobiles. Thousands of Americans have gone to Europe expressly for the Passion play. More than a hundred thousand persons will have gone to Oberammergau ere the season closes. Why? To see a theatrical play? No. Better acting can be witnessed in any great city. The attraction is the theme; it is the representation of the supreme expression of humanity's Redeemer that attracts rich and poor, ignorant and learned. All this host celebrate the kingship of Christ. Thirty thousand Jews died at Jerusalem a few years after the crucifixion, but nobody celebrates this. Today the death of Christ is the most widely and seriously commemorated event in all history; the whole world is [illegible] the [illegible] of time to honor his triumph.

Ends of Earth Meet

Another triumphal procession of recent weeks to be considered alongside of the entry into Jerusalem was the World's Missionary conference at Edinburgh. The Hero of it all perhaps viewed this later demonstration with more satisfaction than He did the hozzanas of the volatile Jerusalem crowd. To Edinburgh's royal hall, come forth to have a greater place in history because of this assembly than any of the Scottish kings and heroes have given it, journeyed Christian leaders from the remotest corners of earth. The earth's great were there: lords and earls and baronets and generals and statesmen and kings of commerce and authors and archbishops and bishops and doctors of divinity and explorers and adventurers and missionaries, to do such honor to the Lord Jesus Christ as in human estimation He had never received before. The proud university of Scotland's capital conferred honorary degrees upon a few of the representative delegates from Asia, Europe and America. The gathering was the most cosmopolitan that ever assembled for any purpose.

All this was not to witness the coronation of an earthly sovereign or to further schemes of personal gain or to avow allegiance to any great political principle but only to do honor to the Redeemer and to consider the prosecution of His work. Some crowds are counted and some are weighed; this one was to be weighed. The Jerusalem multitude that exultingly cried "Hosanna" was soon to howl in throaty hate "Crucify Him! Crucify Him!" With calm and measured purpose the Edinburg host sang "Crown Him with many crowns."

The Accepted Ovation

There is a mock humility which is glib in self depreciation; it is the pride which apes humility. Not so Jesus. He accepted the ovation of the multitude as His right. He knew His own kingliness, knew it far better than the noisy crowd by the wayside. They were carried away by a popular tide of wonder, admiration for His works and enthusiasm over a hero. The deeper significance of the demonstration in which they shared they did not understand, but He did.

It must have been a comfort to the sore heart of Jesus to hear this voice of public acclaim. Even though it did not go very far it meant to Him the fulfillment of prophecy and a foregleam of the greater triumphs which the Father was to give the Son. Any sense of a realization of spiritual truths however superficial was precious in His sight. And the honor of the Son is done to the Father; whatever exalts the name of Jesus is well pleasing in the sight of God. Sometimes men sneer at the great Christian Endeavor and Epworth league and Sunday school conventions as effervescent things. Let it not be forgotten that they are a public honoring of the Son of God, a repetition with improvements of the triumphal entry. He who accepted, aye, and expected and planned for the victorious procession into the city of David could not be indifferent to, say, the imposing march of men in the adult Bible class parade in the city of Washington a few weeks ago or the great processions of the Holy Name society.

Measuring the Applause

Pitiable indeed is the plight of the man or woman who works for the public—a lecturer, actor, singer or politician—who gets his reward from the volume of the applause of the crowds. Of all the vain ambitions probably this one which measures success by the plaudits of men is the vainest. To have no higher or more sustaining motive than this is to be doomed to sure disappointment. It is notable that while Jesus accepted the acclamation of the multitude He yet kept His own reserve and poise. His life was lived for the Father Who seeth in secret. When the hosannas failed He could still go forward steadily to His purpose. The approval of God meant more to Him than the applause of men. So it must ever be with all who would work successfully. The fickle public has woven thorn crowns for most of the heroes upon whom it had bestowed the laurel wreaths.

The whole city was excited by the arrival of Jesus. He designed this. Never losing sight of the merely secondary importance of popular demonstrations, it is to be recalled that these have their place in the education and evangelization of the public. Tuberculosis congresses, anti-opium and anti-saloon and anti-gambling demonstrations—all of which, by the way, are incidentally part of the contemporaneous triumphal entry of Jesus—have a real part in bringing to pass the desired end. City evangelistic campaigns have this to commend them. They set the people to talking and inquiring, "Who is this?" The church has much to learn concerning the business of arousing the world at home to the approach of Jesus Christ. There is scarcely a great commercial firm or sporting project or amusement enterprise or political party which cannot teach the church how to do that which is really one of her primary tasks—the advertising of her object.

Another Entry

We have a record of how Jesus entered Jerusalem; not so easy to write is the story of how Jesus enters a human heart. That is one of the mysteries of religion. [illegible] sometime in a man's career and [illegible] unexpected and unforeseen [illegible] the mighty divine life of Jesus enters into the life of a human being and there is enacted the real [illegible] action. All the universe [illegible] new. Purposes are [illegible] ideals are made new [illegible] takes on a deeper, higher meaning. What an hour it was for the world when Christ entered [illegible] conqueror into the life of [illegible] and St. Augustine and [illegible] and St. Columba and Martin Luther and William Carey.

The little children hailed Christ as hero and He loved it. When the eminent gentlemen who decreed the religious code of the time and place objected, Jesus spoke the [illegible] scorn. He cares for the praises of the little ones. Every wise Christian parent and teacher will seek opportunities to let children share in doing honor to the name of Jesus. A St. Louis man took his son to a great convention of laymen because he wanted the boy to [illegible] things of [illegible] and manliness and greatness to be associated with religion. Children's day and Rally day and Sunday school parades and every other special occasion for children in connection with religion have their warrant in welcome hosannas of the children in the temple when they gave joy to the Saviour who was about to die.

A Conqueror's Scourge

Conquerors get their name from conquests, and conquests mean strife. Jesus was a warrior. There is ever need to recall the danger of over emphasizing his passive virtues; to stress his own lowliness and his identity with the plain people and his non-military character. Jesus rode a humble donkey instead of a fiery charger. Yet he came from one series of conflicts and was facing others. Immediately after the triumphal entry He was to cleanse the temple.

The world has not many paintings or statues of Jesus with a whip in His hand; we do not like the attitude. Yet it was in a degree characteristic. He came to cleanse as well as to save. His love for a pure church is typified by His driving out the traffickers from the temple. He cares for the purity of God's house and God's people almost as much as he cares for the salvation of a lost world. That is why He has in every age called some men to be reformers to call the Church back to her first estate. Only a pure church can serve a sinful world. And Christ's conquest is incomplete so long as His own friends are living contrary to His plain teachings.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES.

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A marriage license has been issued to Miss Emma Turner and Oliver Leo Thew.

Marriage license have been issued to Miss Clara Ella Schmidt of Big Island township and James Wilson Imbody of Green Camp township; Mrs. Caddie Belle Turner and Lawrence O. Bryan both of this city.

Marionites Are Safe

A number of former Marionites are now residents of Montana but none of them has as yet suffered from the great fire which are raging in that state. Mr. and Mrs. Loren M. Hipsher and son Harry M. and Mrs. Charles Phelps, son Howard and daughter Charlotte and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cranston and daughter Etheline are located about two miles from Victor but at last reports the nearest fire was [illegible] miles away.

THE BEEF TRUST OFFICIALS ESCAPE PUNISHMENT FOR BURNING NOTEBOOKS

ALFRED R. URION

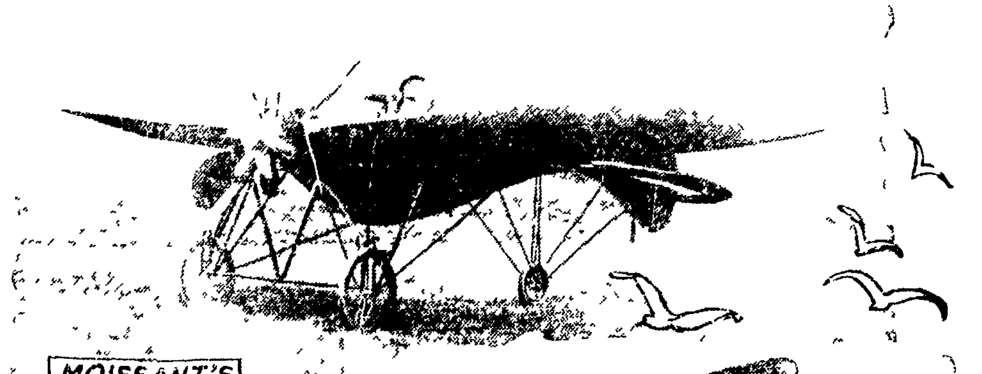
MISS MAUD I DIMOCK

PHOTOS BY AMER PRESS ASS'N

JUDGE KENESAW M. LANDIS

Chicago, Aug. [illegible]—Despite the [illegible] fact that Alfred R. Urion, general counsel for Armour & Company and president of the Chicago school board [illegible] Armour [illegible] earls [illegible] blame [illegible] for the [illegible] the stenographic [illegible] notebooks [illegible] the presentation [illegible] with the trial [illegible] the big packers [illegible] interest in the trial [illegible]. Among [illegible] the witnesses examined in connection with the [illegible] against [illegible] Miss Maud I. Dimock, the private secretary [illegible] general manager of Armour & [illegible] failed to remember [illegible] that the court was [illegible] and proved a [illegible] witness. When all [illegible] connected with the books had been examined [illegible] Kenesaw M. Landis [illegible] contempt proceedings [illegible] and the others.

MOISSANT'S FLIGHT FROM PARIS TO ENGLAND MARKS HIM AS GREAT AVIATOR



MOISSANT'S MONOPLANE

JOHN MOISSANT

PHOTOS BY PAUL THOMPSON

London, Aug. 20.—By completing his flight from Paris to within twenty five miles of London town John Moissant, the Chicago architect, made a most remarkable record. He was unknown almost among aviators and had never been in England until he flew across the channel. In the trip from Paris he covered a total distance of 296 miles and at the same time carried as a passenger his mechanic. He made but five flights before his sensational international sail. Moissant is a little man, five feet three inches tall and weighing [illegible] pounds, with keen brown eyes. His passenger was a burly French mechanic weighing [illegible] pounds, who says he feels quite at home with his employer in the air. Moissant is thirty five years of age and an architect by profession. He came to Europe on a pleasure trip, took up aviation and built two aeroplanes. His present machine is one of the latest Bleriot type with a Gnome engine.

EDWARD HIPSHER HIGHLY HONORED

Offered a Position in Toledo Musical College

The friends of Professor Edward E. Hipsher will be pleased to learn that he has been tendered a position at the head of the vocal department of the Toledo Musical college. This is especially complimentary to Professor Hipsher as the offer is entirely voluntary on the part of the management of the Toledo college. This does not mean that Marion is to lose him as he would be required to devote only one or two days of each week to the Toledo work.

Bushido.

Bushido in a word, is the popular literature of the mikado's realm. It includes country theatricals, tales of story tellers and musical compositions. It is not only a literature, it is an idea and an ideal. The word means loyalty, fidelity, devotion and it may be expressed in dozens of different ways.

Tips Them the Wink

The switching off of the current at the central power station at Cape Town for a moment, causing a winking of the electric lights in every home, gives the residents the exact time every night.—Popular Mechanics.

DENIES BREAK WITH COLONEL

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as chairman of the convention.

May Change Votes

Although he intimated that the fight might be made on the floor of the convention it was not believed here today that this would be the case.

The state committee which suggests the temporary chairman is called to meet in the Grand Union hotel in Saratoga Monday, September 26. Unless Roosevelt forbids such action an attempt will then be made to change the designation of the temporary chairman. This could easily be done by the committeemen from Richmond and the Nassau districts which were represented by proxies at the next meeting switching to Roosevelt. Absentees could then be called and according to Griscom at least four of the men who voted for Sherman at the suggestion that President Taft wanted him would immediately change their position, giving the Roosevelt men control of the committee. So certain was Griscom that he will have the votes to name Roosevelt that he told his friends Sherman will soon recognize that he cannot save and will voluntarily withdraw. Friends of Sherman, however, profess to believe that Roosevelt will see the advisability of calling a halt on the fight on the vice president. If he is actually going to take a hand in the fall campaign in New York they say Roosevelt will hardly begin by causing the repudiation of the vice president but will be willing to go to Saratoga and be recognized there as the real convention leader. Both factions admit, however, that it is all up to Roosevelt.

Granted he intends to fight as Griscom says he does, the old guard will have to fight back if its members intend to stay in politics and the contest for delegates will make this year's primaries noteworthy with the result in doubt.

Open Repudiation

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 2[illegible].—Vice President James S. Sherman may today add the title "member in bad club" to that of his official rank as the result of the initiation just made at the hands of the president of the United States into an organization which appears to have almost as brilliant a future as the famous Ananias club of the previous administration.

Personally and officially the next to the first citizen of the nation is in bad. In view of the open repudiation by the president of the tactics pursued by Sherman at the recent meeting of the New York Republican state committee and his drastic condemnation of the old guard for their hostility to Colonel Roosevelt [illegible] stand in the good graces of the president after being publicly labeled by him as a trickster and betrayer of confidence nobody cares to hazard.

Friends of the president are jubilant today in the belief that his drastic letter to County Chairman Griscom disavowing any plot against Roosevelt will heal the breach between Oyster Bay and Beverly.

Break May Occur

At the same time Roosevelt admirers are pointing to the fact that the administration capitulated to the terms of peace offered by the colonel—a break with Sherman.

Not only did the vice president deliberately plot treachery as charged in the Taft letter but immediately after receiving instructions from the president last Wednesday to see Colonel Roosevelt and pave the way for harmony after the colonel's defeat as temporary chairman he purposely left the impression with the newspaper men at the Taft cottage that he would not withdraw as chairman and that there would be a Republican platform without the qualifying adjective progressive which Roosevelt stood for. He left a definite impression that the president approved of what had happened and didn't care a thing about Colonel Roosevelt. The president's letter proves that Sherman had received instructions to steer exactly an opposite course.

Beverly is also wondering today how Sherman will be able to stand by his denial at Utica yesterday, of the charges of former Assemblyman Hart that the vice president deliberately suppressed a telegram from President Taft. A telegram is quoted by Taft in his letter to Griscom urging deference to the wishes of Colonel Roosevelt and suggesting a conference between him, Sherman, Ward and Woodruff.

Judge Gibson Dead

Judge Joel W. Gibson, one of Wyandot county's best known citizens and well known in this county, died at his home in Upper Sandusky Sunday afternoon at [illegible] o'clock. His death was caused by indigestion of which he had suffered for the past two weeks. Mr. Gibson is survived by a widow, one son, three sisters and one brother. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at [illegible] o'clock.

Owen Bankruptcy Matter

At the first creditors' meeting of Earl H. and Ernest E. Owen, bankrupt grocers, held at the courthouse Monday afternoon, Referee in Bankruptcy H. E. W. Deather appointed French Crow trustee. He furnished [illegible] bond. An appraisement of [illegible] shows a bad condition for the creditors, there being property valued at $[illegible] and debts aggregating close on to $6,000.

Ivan R. Weaver of Richwood, a recent graduate of the School of Commerce, has [illegible] a position with the American Express company, Cleveland.

W[illegible] is going from New York with [illegible] [illegible] a month than the [illegible] year ago.

The international [illegible] at Prov[illegible] [illegible] Monaco.

MILTON PASTOR UNDER ARREST

Charged with Stealing Several Watches.

ROBS STUDENTS OF A SEMINARY

Friends Are Astounded at Acts of Minister.

Selection of Sawyer's Successor Is Postponed—Detective Is Fatally Injured at Newark—Big Fire Visits a Department Store at Newark—Druggist Drops Dead at Steubenville—Monument Dedicated

Zanesville, O., Aug. 23.—The Rev. A. A. Hamberch, pastor of the Milton (O.) Lutheran Evangelist church, is under arrest here charged with the theft of 17 watches and other jewelry valued at $300 from students of Eden Theological seminary at Clayton, Mo., where he was on probation. The minister can find no excuse for having the articles in his possession and his friends are astounded at his act.

Postpone Selection of Superintendent

Xenia, O., Aug. 23.—The matter of the election of a superintendent for the Soldiers and Sailors Orphans Home to succeed E. D. Sawyer of Cleveland, who resigned a month ago, was not brought up officially at the meeting of the trustees of the institution for the reason that Governor Harmon has not had time to give attention to the matter.

Detective Fatally Injured.

Newark, O., Aug. 23.—J. M. Andrews, well known Baltimore & Ohio detective, was run over by a freight train in the East Newark yards while chasing train riders. Both legs were crushed and one was amputated and Andrews may not survive the shock and loss of blood.

Fire Guts Newark Store.

Newark, O., Aug. 23.—Fire destroyed the stock of the Stephan department store valued at $50,000, with $30,000 insurance. Fire Chief Bausch was badly cut about the hands by falling glass and Mr. Stephan, the proprietor, was knocked down by a live wire and made unconscious.

Druggist Drops Dead.

Steubenville, O., Aug. 23.—While seated in the parlor at the home of his fiance, Miss Bessie Black, Ford Laughlin, a prominent young druggist, 29, fell dead from neuralgia of the heart. The couple were discussing sending out invitations for their wedding Sept. 8 when he died.

Fire Fatal to Man.

Marietta, O., Aug. 2[illegible].—In a fire which destroyed the home of J. W. Barker at Raven Rock, W. Va., near here Barker was so seriously burned that he died. His son was horribly burned and his daughter was seriously injured by jumping from an upstairs window.

Dedicate Brown Monument

Akron, O., Aug. 23.—Eight thousand people attended the dedication of a monument to John Brown in Perkins park, once part of Brown's farm, under the auspices of the German American Alliance of Ohio.

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INTERESTING BITS.

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American boots and shoes have an extremely good reputation in Australia and except for the high tariff could easily outsell on their merit the domestic product.

The Automobile Club of Barcelona [illegible] that a caravan of eighty cars belonging to the Perigueaux club started for Barcelona in June last and could not cross the frontier.

For mixing concrete a spade has been invented with long oval holes in the blade, the perforations allowing the finer cement to flow through and give the face a finer finish.

A Frenchman has invented a process for distilling gutta percha from the leaves of the Malay tree of that name, saving the trees from the damage caused by tapping the trunks for the sap.

Ants will carry loads forty or fifty times as heavy as themselves. The beetle can move a weight 112 times his own weight. The house fly gives 600 strokes of its wings in one second and this enables it to go a distance of thirty five feet.

Motor boats for use in Vancouver harbor and adjacent waters are on the increase—pleasure, small passenger and freight boats—and several inquiries have been made at the consulate general regarding the different makes and prices.

The art of making pottery was introduced into Siam from China in the eleventh century, and the original kilns were located near the ancient city of Swankhalok and here the work of turning out what is known as Swankhalok ware was apparently continued until the city was destroyed during the Burmese invasions of 1760-1766.

A COMPANY AT THE J. G. LEFFLER HOME

In Honor of Two Maids from New Jersey.

CORN ROAST HELD AT LINCOLN PARK

Miss Helen Bain Entertaining in Honor of Miss Frank, Who Is Soon To Go to Ada—Misses Allmendinger Give a Six-O'clock Dinner Compliment to a Toledo Maid.

Mr and Mrs. Jacob G. Leffler entertained about twenty-five relatives at a "Five-Hundred" party at their south State street home, Monday evening, as a courtesy to Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Wollenweber's *house guests*, the Misses Wissenger, of East Orange, New Jersey.

After a season at cards, the prizes were awarded, and the remainder of the evening was delightfully spent in the enjoyment of vocal and instrumental music. Miss Louise Wissenger having the highest score of the ladies, was presented a very pretty remembrance, and the gentleman's first prize went to Mr. John F Leffler. Mrs. S. Eugene Godden won second honors among the ladies

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The corn roast given by Miss Helen Bain for Miss Helen Frank, at Lincoln park, Monday evening, was a happy deviation from the usual manner of entertaining. Miss Bain entertained the N. O. F girls, their gentlemen and a few girl friends in this pleasing way as a farewell for Miss Frank, who will leave soon with her parents for Ada, to make her home.

While the corn was roasting in the large fire, nearby, the girls assisted the hostess in preparing two large tables in the pavilion, where a picnic feast was later enjoyed. The tables looked very pretty in their decorations of golden glow which was arranged in bouquets and scattered carelessly over the snowy cloth. Thirty-two covers were placed, and during the *progress* of the dinner Mr. G. W. Hays, who, with his wife, accompanied the young people, gave a toast to Miss Frank, which she graciously acknowledged.

Those in the party were Miss Grace Copeland, of Paulding; Mr. James Pease, of Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hays, Miss Frank, Misses Dorothy Bush, Mildred Lippincott, Elizabeth Britton, Corenne Myers, Marian Gunder, Maude Louise McMurray, Ruth Bartram, Susan Garberson, Dorothy Hume, Hilda Gorham, Marian Hodder, Meta Bush, Messrs. Alonzo Walters, Robert White, Paul Boyd, Harold Bailey, Grant Mouser, Maynard Lippincott, Robert Allen, Lot Bechtel, Harry Copeland, Dale Miller and Hoover Brown.

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Mrs. C. E. Sargent informally entertained a small company of relatives at two tables of bridge at her home on east Center street, Monday evening, in honor of Mrs. E. P. Copeland, of Paulding, and Mrs. H. E Allen, of Poplarville, Mississippi.

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The Misses Floretta and Olla Allmendinger entertained a company of friends at a six-o'clock dinner, Monday evening, at their home on west Church *street, complimenting* their house guest, Miss Georgia Potts, of Toledo.

The table, at which covers were laid for ten, was prettily decorated with cut flowers. An excellent four-course dinner was served.

The after-dinner hours were informally spent with music and conversation.

Miss Potts, who is a talented musician, favored the company with several pleasing selections, and Miss Dora Smith sang a solo beautifully.

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Mrs F. G. Lee is entertaining a company of little girls at a house party at her home on east Center street, this week. The pleasant affair is in honor of Marguerite Watterson and Ruth Esther Kline, of Kanida, who are guests at the Lee home. The other members of the house party are Katherine Headley, Marian Templeton and Alice Macken.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Lee gave a picnic for the children at Lincoln park.

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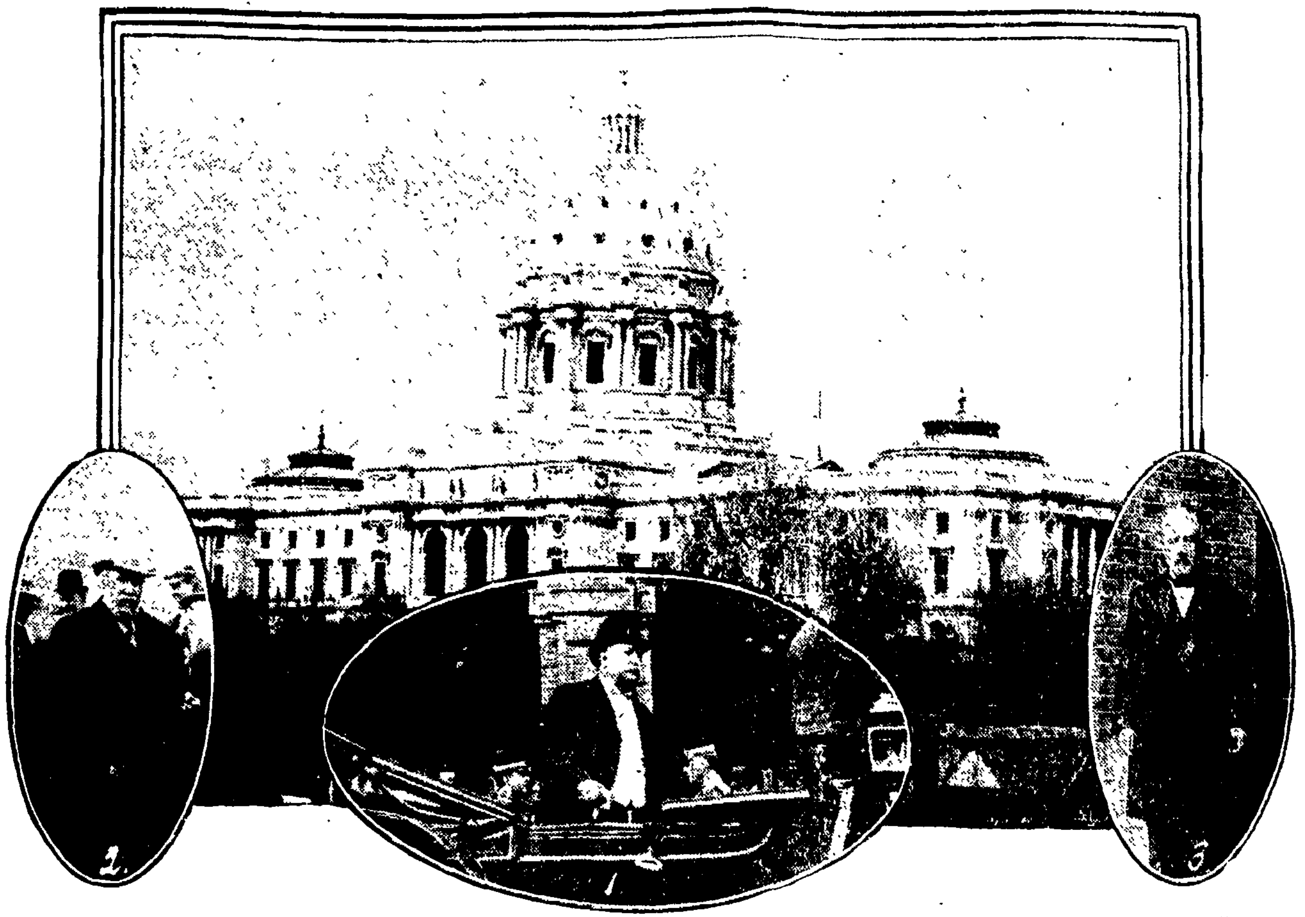
Miss Dorothy Hume was a charming hostess at a beautifully-appointed nine-o'clock breakfast given in honor of Miss Helen Frank at the J. Byron Hume home on south State street, Tuesday morning.

The breakfast table was *brightened* with a large cluster of pink and lavender asters, which were later given to the girls as favors. Neat little place-cards marked the twelve covers laid for the members of the N O. F. club, and the following young women were seated about the table. Miss Frank, Miss Ruth Bartram, Miss Elizabeth Britton, Miss Dorothy Bush, Miss Maud Louise McMurray, Miss Mildred Lippincott, Miss Marian Gunder, Miss Corenne Myers, Miss Helen Bain, Miss Susan Garberson, Miss Hilda Gorham and Miss Hume.

Those assisting in serving the delicious four-course repast were Mrs. J. Byron Hume, Mrs. S. K. Gorham and daughters, Ruth and Maud.

Foulard veiled with chiffon make simple little afternoon or visiting gowns.

PREPARING FOR THE ST. PAUL CONVENTION OF CONSERVATIONISTS.



No. 1. President Taft, who will speak on the opening day. No. 2. James J. Hill, who will address the congress on "Soil Conservation." No. 3. Henry Wallace, of the country life commission, a prominent speaker. The Minnesota state capitol at St. Paul, in the west wing of which the congress has temporary offices.

SOME PROMINENT MEN AT CONSERVATION CONGRESS

Big Convention Will Be Held in St. Paul.

THE PRESIDENT AND ROOSEVELT TO TALK

Pinchot, Beveridge, Dolliver, Nelson and James J. Hill Are Also on the List of Speakers—Governors of Many States Will Be in Attendance—Programs Arranged.

St. Paul, Aug. 20—"I know of no public question that could bring so many representative men together in a convention as that of conservation," said Thomas R. Shipp, secretary, in speaking of the coming congress to be held in St Paul, September 5-6-7-8-9

"A glance at the list of speakers is sufficient to show that the country's best men are behind this movement and I have no doubt the second congress is going to set a pace that will be hard to follow in future."

The list of speakers to which Secretary Shipp referred contains such names as William H. Taft, president of the United States; Theodore Roosevelt, former president of the United States; Gifford Pinchot, Senators Beveridge, Dolliver and Nelson and such representative men as James J Hill and Wallace D Simmons.

There has been a lot of talk about politics in connection with the congress. That there will be in St Paul at that time members of the United States senate, members of the house, governors of many states and mayors of many cities, is sufficient cause to say that there will be some political pow wows on the side, *but it is the intention of the* officers of the congress to keep politics out of the proceedings as far as possible.

"Insurgency" is pretty well represented on the program with Pinchot, and Senators Beveridge and Dolliver as speakers This in itself is a refutation of the statements tha have been made concerning President Taft's connection with the program. It was said that the President insisted upon certain changes being made before he would agree to speak.

When Governor Eberhart returned to St. Paul after heading the committee which visited the president at Beverly and tendered the invitation, he said the president did not even ask to see the program and made no suggestion whatever concerning it.

The program will not be given out for a few days, but it is known that senator Dolliver will talk on "Cattle, Food and Leather" Such a subject naturally gives the senator a chance to say something on the Payne-Aldrich tariff law, but it is said on good authority that he will not take the opportunity of doing so. The big fight made by Senator Dolliver on the tariff bill was chiefly in connection with the hide and leather schedules. However, it is *believed the senator will insert* enough ginger into his speech to make it interesting.

Francis J. Heney, who fought the land frauds in the West is going to talk about "Safeguarding the Public Domain" It is doubtful if a person more competent to handle such a subject could be found.

The subject given to James J. Hill, chairman of the Great Northern board, is "Soils, Crops, Food and Clothing." Mr. Hill long has given much thought to the fertilization of soils and he has been helping the farmer in this respect for years.

Thomas L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, the greatest labor union in the United States, is going to talk on the subject, "Are We Mining Intelligently?"

It is not known what the subject of Mr. Pinchot's address will be and Senators Beveridge and Cummins have not said on what subjects they will talk

Other speakers besides the president and former president are Governor Eberhart, Minnesota; Governor Stubbs, Kansas; Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations; Senator Joseph M. Dixon, Montana; Arthur Radcliffe *Dugmore*, author, artist, writer on nature subjects and an expert on birdlife; Walter H. Page, editor, "The World's Work;" Governor Herbert S. Hadley, Missouri; Alfred L. Baker, president of the Chicago Chamber of Commerce; Henry Wallace, expert on farming and country life, Des Moines, Iowa; Frank M Chapman, curator American Museum of Natural History; Senator Moses E Clapp, Minnesota; Professor Henry S. Graves, United States Forester; John Barrett, director Bureau of American Republics; Dr. W. J. McGee, bureau of soils, department of agriculture; Dr. Francis E McVey, president University of South Dakota; Captain J. B White, chairman of the executive committee, National Conservation congress, Dr. George F. Swain, Harvard university, George C Pardee, former governor of California; Newton C Blanchard, Louisiana; Wallace D. Simmons Hardware Company, St. Louis, Judge Ben B Lindsey, Denver, Colorado; F. F. Wesbrook, Minneapolis and Miss Mabel Boardman, president of the Red Cross society

MRS. ELIZABETH MAY DIES NEAR MORRAL

After an Illness of Three Weeks Sunday Evening.

Mrs Elizabeth May, aged eighty-four years died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jacob Laudenslager, two and a half miles southwest of Morral, Sunday evening at 5 o'clock after an illness of three weeks of infirmities of old age. She had made her home for some time with her daughter Mrs. Link Schafer, at Wyandot Five daughters and one son survive. She was a member of the Free Baptist church at Chapel Hill and was a well-known and respected woman.

The funeral services were held *at the Methodist church at Morral*, Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. J S Altman officiating.

THE LODGE WORLD.

Only routine business was transacted at a meeting of Kosciusko Lodge, No. 58, I. O. O F, held Monday evening.

An enjoyable social session followed the regular meeting of Canby Temple, No. 153, Pythian Sisters, Monday night. Three applications were received, and Mrs. L. A. Cull, Mrs Frank Tavener and Frank H Ritzhaup were appointed members of a committee to arrange for a social to be given in the near future The next regular meeting will be held the second Monday in September.

Two candidates were given the degree at the meeting of Clay Council, No. 106, National Union, Monday evening Several applications were received and arrangements were made to confer the degree at a meeting to be held next Monday evening.

FINDS NO GLARING IRREGULARITIES

Examiner Sage Finds Marion County Offices in Good Shape.

H B Sage, whose report on the condition of county offices in Ross county showed irregularities amounting to $18,741, declared Monday that he had found no glaring irregularities in Marion county after working on the books for two months.

"Found anything glaring yet?" Mr. Sage was asked at the courthouse Monday morning

"No, nothing to speak of," Sage replied, rather evasively. "Down in Ross county the conditions were frightful, although the officers seemed to be very nice men.

"What irregularities have you found here?" Mr. Sage was asked point blank. He replied that the books had been found in good shape so far, and that he had found nothing to indicate that conditions here were similar to those found in Ross county.

A NEW BUILDING IN WEST MARION

To Be Erected Corner of Center Street and Blaine Avenue.

A two-story building, thirty-eight *by forty feet in dimension, is to be* erected within the next sixty days by Bain brothers, just off Center street, on Blaine avenue. It will be occupied by M H. Gunder, who will open a new undertaking establishment, with a private morgue and a chapel. In connection with the Gunder establishment, the H. S Lister *company will install a handsome line* of furniture.

A FAMILY REUNION AT DIEBOLD HOME

In Honor of Birthday of Mrs. Margaret Diebold.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Margaret Diebold, of south State street, Sunday, the occasion being the eightieth birthday of Mrs. Diebold. At the noon hour, a fine dinner was enjoyed by the hostess, her children and grandchildren, and in the afternoon the hours were passed pleasantly.

Mrs. Diebold was very nicely remembered with a number of handsome gifts.

If your mouth is full or your head empty, don't attempt to talk.

Probably the most popular illustrated paper is the bank note.

Hot pillows will sometimes serve to cure a nervous headache.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Steve Vargo, whose residence is unknown, will take notice that on the sixth day of July, 1910, Klein Brothers, a partnership formed for the purpose of doing business in Ohio, filed its petition in the court of Common Pleas of Marion County, Ohio, being case numbered 12755, against him. The object and prayer of said petition are that lot No. 4518 in Marion, Ohio, being in Junction Place Addition, may be sold to satisfy a judgment thereon in favor of *plaintiff, that the rights of all parties* may be determined and that the defendant above named may be excluded from any interest in said real estate. Said defendant is required to answer or demur to said petition on, or before, October 1, 1910, or judgment will be taken against him by default.

The same defendant is further notified that in the same action on the thirtieth day of July, 1910, the defendant, The Marion County Bank Company, a corporation of Ohio, filed its answer and cross-petition against him, of which the object and prayer were that two certain mortgages on said real estate, held by it, may be foreclosed, priorities determined, the *premises sold, the amount due to it* paid from the proceeds, personal judgment be awarded it against said defendant for any deficiency, and that said defendant may be excluded from all interest therein and for equitable relief. Said Steve Vargo is required to answer or demur to said cross-petition on, or before, October 1, 1910, or judgment will be taken against him by default on said cross-petition.

Klein Brothers, a partnership,
Charles C. Fisher, attorney.
The Marion County Bank Company, Copeland & Bartram, attorneys.
Marion, Ohio, August 11, 1910.
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SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

The School Examiners of Marion county, Ohio, will meet for the examination of teachers at the Central school building, Saturday,

September 3.
October 1.
November 5.

Examinations commence at 8:30 a. m. and no application will be received after 10 a. m. All examinations will be written and positively no private examinations will be granted. A fee of 50 cents will be charged on admission to the examination and each applicant will furnish an envelope, stamped and addressed to him or herself, in which a certificate or notice of failure will be forwarded. Applicants will be graded on a scale of 100. No certificate will be granted when the grade in any branch falls below 70. An average of 75 with a minimum of 70 secures a certificate for one year. 85 with a minimum of 80 and twelve months' experience secures a certificate for two years. 90 with a minimum of 85 and twenty-four months' experience secures a certificate for three years. 95 with a minimum of 90 and thirty-six months' experience secures a certificate for 5 years. An average of 98 with a minimum of 95 and sixty months' experience secures a certificate for 8 years.

Success in the school room will also be taken into consideration in determining the class of certificate.

R. B. Bell, Pres.
W. P. Moloney, Vice Pres.
S. W. Almendinger, clerk.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Mamo Cramer, whose place of residence is unknown, but whose last known place of residence and postoffice address was Covington, Kentucky, will take notice that on July 23, A. D., 1910, Oat Cramer filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion county, Ohio, in case No. 12,776, praying for a divorce from said Mame Cramer on the ground of gross neglect of duty for three years last past and that said cause will stand for hearing in said court on and after September 5, A. D., 1910. OAT CRAMER.

By L. E Myers, his attorney.
Dated Marion, O., July 23, 1910.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

William N. Goon, whose place of residence is unknown, but whose last named place of residence was at Ligonier, Westmoreland county, and *state of Pennsylvania, will take* notice that on July 12th, 1910, Mary J. Goon filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion county, Ohio, her certain petition in case No. 12,762, praying for a divorce from the said William N. Goon, on the grounds of failure to provide for three years and the further ground of drunkenness for three years, and that said defendant, William N. Goon, is required to answer said petition on or before September 5th, 1910, at which last named date said cause will stand for trial. MARY J. GOON.

By H. Edmund Hill, her attorney.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

Thurman E. Wyant, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on July 11th, 1910, Lula J. Wyant filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion county, Ohio, her certain petition praying for a divorce from the said Thurman E. Wyant on the grounds of willful absence for a *period of three years and failure to* provide for three years. That said cause will be for hearing on September 5th, 1910, or as soon thereafter as said cause can be heard, and said Thurman E. Wyant is hereby required to answer said petition by September 5th, 1910. LULA J. WYANT.
5th, 1910. LULU J. WYANT.

By H. E. Hill, her attorney.
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JEWELERS. OPTICIANS.

Casserole Baking Dishes AT $1.98.

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*Daily except Sunday.

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Eastbound—9:25 a. m.; 12:20 noon; 7:20 p. m.; 11:19 p. m. *5:27 p. m.

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West—10:25 a. m.; 12:05 p. m.; *6:15 p. m.; *7:10 a. m.

East—5:36 a. m.; †9:55 a. m.; *5:15 p. m.; 5:49 p. m.

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† Runs to Marion only.
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ERIE.

Southwest—10:37 a. m.; 5:20 p. m.; 1:25 a. m.

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Southbound—a10:13 a. m.; *3:33 p. m.; a7:56 p. m.; ‡8:40 p. m.

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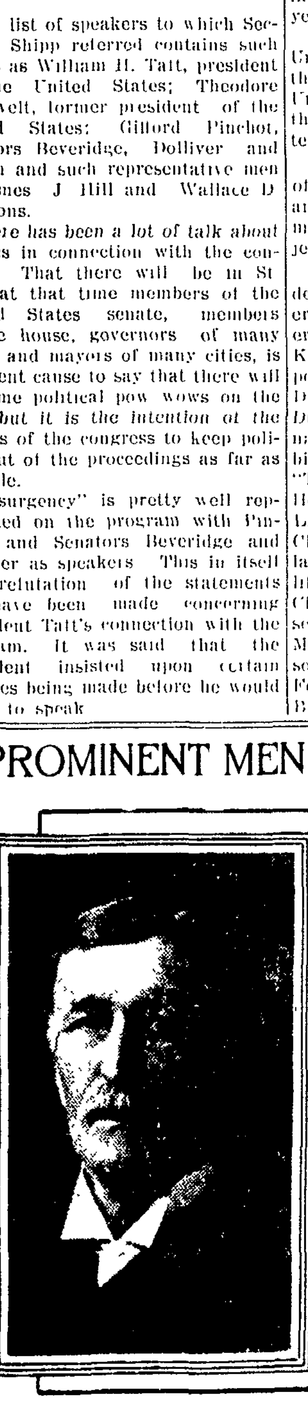

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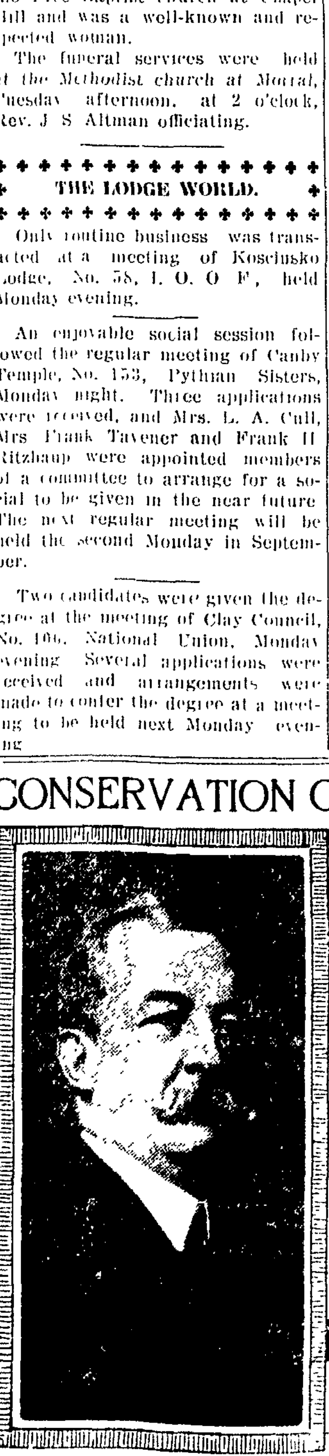

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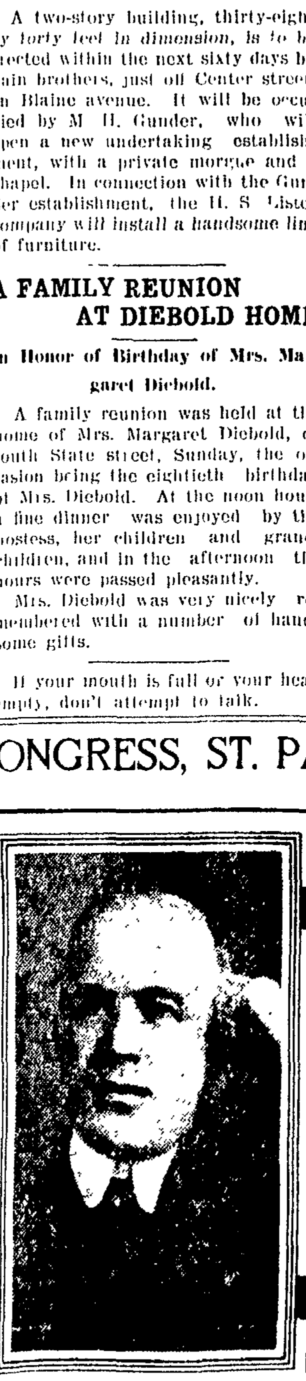

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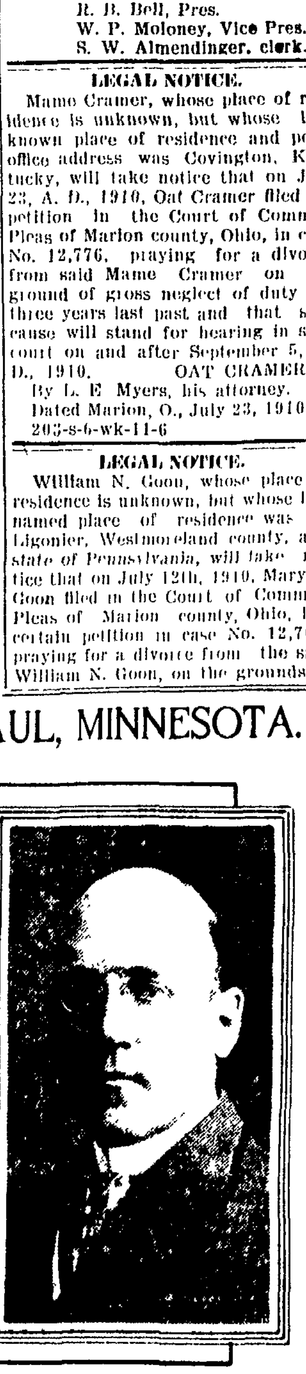

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IS THE CAMP MEETING WHICH CLOSED SUNDAY

A Remarkable Record Made at the Meeting of Ten Days—There Are 165 Conversions and Twenty One Baptisms—Nearly $6,000 in Money Is Raised

The morning hour at the Seventh Day Adventist camp meeting was taken by the president of the general conference, Elder A. G. Daniells, Saturday, who spoke with his usual zeal from the text "One thing thou lackest yet." The speaker referred to the rich young ruler who came to the Saviour desiring to obtain eternal life. He was very fortunate in not lacking more, yet he failed on one essential point. The Saviour indicated the mistake and requested him to follow Him, but on account of his riches he turned away. The president said that he would rather have the prayers and sympathy of God's people than the bayonets of the nation, and emphasized the point of taking up the cross and having a daily walk with Christ. Many people will fall in the final struggle on account of some spiritual weakness, so all were urged to accept the strength of Him who called the young ruler. The defeat of Joshua was used to illustrate the importance of all being right, and because one was wrong the whole army suffered until the cause of disaster was eliminated. Victory could not come until all in the camp were in harmony with the great Captain who was directing the armies of Israel. Many illustrations were used with telling effect, and when a call was made for all to surrender and come to Christ to find the one thing that they individually lacked, [illegible] came forward. Hearts were melted and the peace of heaven rested upon the large audience *blest with the stirring truth* presented.

Professor B. G. Wilkinson, Ph. D., gave an address appealing to all for deeper consecration and zeal. When the opportunity was given hundreds testified to the infinite working of the Spirit of God.

Elder James Shultz spoke of Christian Character as seen in the life of Christ, and referred especially to the time when His parents lost Him in the temple. The inference was made that we are often troubled in our day with the same experience, but if we, like Joseph and Mary, search for the Saviour we shall find Him.

Sunday Services

Sunday a strong appeal was made for mission money by Professor Wilkinson in the early morning service. The meeting was filled with enthusiasm and when the service was over it was found that $[illegible] had been subscribed for the advancement of mission work in foreign lands. The [illegible] spoke later in the day on Church Order and Discipline, showing the importance of all being in harmony. God is a God of order and would have all in His service like the stars of heaven in union and be in perfect harmony with Him who controls the universe.

Elder I. I. Olmsted gave an address [illegible] Sunday. The [illegible] text was "This is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am chief." I Timothy 1:15. Reference was made to the life of Paul and to the lives of heathen in South Africa, showing the natural tendency of the human heart and the remarkable change when [illegible] the Saviour.

Elder S. M. Butler, president of Mt. Vernon college, spoke Sunday evening showing the work and object of the Saviour while here on earth. *The speaker referred to the* strong temptation the Saviour met in the wilderness and how the infinite Lamb of God [illegible]. After thirty years of poverty and trial it must have been a strong temptation to Jesus when the enemy offered Him the kingdoms of the world if He would fall down and worship him, but He replied, "Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God and Him only shalt thou serve." This was the key that unlocked the storehouse of all grace and made Him the Saviour of men.

The camp meeting at the fair ground was the largest the denomination ever held in Ohio and has resulted in a great deal of good. There were 165 conversions and twenty-one baptisms, the others will be baptized by their local pastors. The following is a statement of the financial part of the meeting:

Mission [illegible]

Money raised for [illegible]

Tithes [illegible]

Money [illegible]

Sabbath school offering [illegible]

Total [illegible]

The president of the Ohio conference, [illegible], on behalf of the conference committee, wishes to thank the Marion Street [illegible] and the citizens of Marion [illegible] for the courtesies [illegible] during the encampment.

A Mammoth [illegible]

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A MEASURE OF MERIT

Marion Citizens Should Weigh Well This Evidence

The proof of merit lies in the evidence. Convincing evidence in Marion is local testimony of strong [illegible] endorsement of Marion people.

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WRIGHTS' NEW BIPLANE BEING USED BY BROOKINS

BROOKINS AND COFFYN READY TO ASCEND
THE [illegible] WRIGHT BIPLANE
COFFYN ABOUT TO FLY

A [illegible] Wright brothers' new [illegible] without front [illegible] plane, now being used by Walter Brookins in his flight at [illegible] field. The new machine is the result of experiments by the Wright brothers [illegible] with [illegible] small elevating plane in connection with the tail and is capable of carrying [illegible] Brookins must have [illegible] his nerve is the result of his recent accident in which eleven spectators [illegible] Brookins himself were injured when the machine was [illegible]. The inventor [illegible] to make some world flights with the new machine and may attempt to take the record from [illegible] Drexel for altitude.

M A SMALLEY IS DEAD IN WASHINGTON

Former Well Known Resident of Upper Sandusky

M. A. Smalley, a former resident of Wyandot county and [illegible] that county's most influential [illegible] and leading politicians, died at his home at Chevy Chase, Washington, Thursday evening, death being due to heart trouble. Mr. Smalley, who was nearing his sixtieth year, was quite well known over the [illegible] as a result of the part he played in politics. He was at one time chairman of the Democratic [illegible] central committee [illegible] Calvin Brice's campaign for [illegible] and served as [illegible] in the state legislature. He left Upper Sandusky about eleven years ago, going to Toledo, where he [illegible] years as United States marshal for the Northern district of Ohio. He [illegible] Carey and since his [illegible] the West he [illegible] stock. He [illegible] survived by a widow and four children.

A Very Valuable Volume

Simon [illegible] brought to the Star [illegible] Friday a copy of the first [illegible] France which was published in [illegible]. The book [illegible] written by [illegible] text and [illegible] both [illegible] and valuable. [illegible] sold for $100 [illegible].

Eye Is Penetrated

A piece of [illegible] penetrated the right eye of [illegible] Barone, an [illegible] home hovel company [illegible] Friday by Dr. [illegible].

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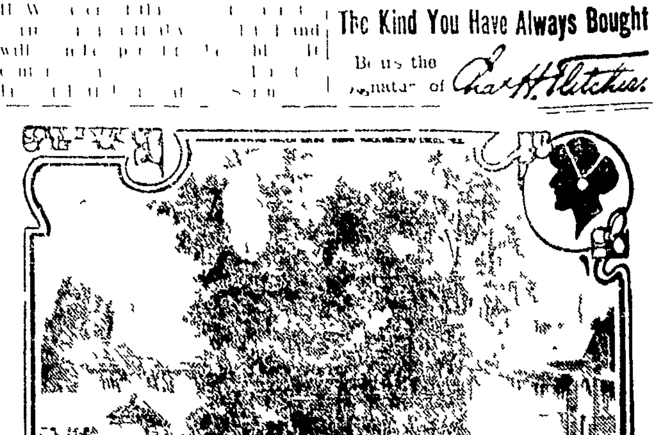

HANDSOME EXHIBIT BUILDING—OHIO STATE FAIR.

THE [illegible] of the Ohio State Fair [illegible] architecture [illegible] shown is the W[illegible] devoted to [illegible] It is equipped with [illegible] of 1,000 seating [illegible] domestic science [illegible] and [illegible] of the exposition September 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9. Here [illegible] including the [illegible] system by minutes [illegible] of a complete [illegible] school [illegible] in architecture above [illegible] handwork where lectures [illegible] each day found displays and operation [illegible] Industrial

SEEKING AID FOR LITTLE ORPHANS

Rev. E. R. M. Beeson in City for That Purpose

Rev. E. R. M. Beeson was in the city Saturday in the interests of the Christian Home orphanage at Council Bluffs, Iowa. He is not soliciting money for the institution, but is taking subscriptions to the Christian Home, a publication devoted to the interests of the orphanage. He says the orphanage receives children from any part of the country free of charge. It charges no fee for placing them out in private families. It receives not only the well and strong, who can be placed for adoption in private families, but it receives the *afflicted—those* little deformed and twisted ones whom nobody wants and for whom the state makes no provisions except the poor house.

During the past ten years Rev. Mr. Beeson has been traveling in the interests of the institution and he has been greeted with a welcome in most parts.

Rev. Mr. Beeson is a Baptist minister who makes his home with his daughter in St. Louis.

Any further information in regard to the orphanage will be gladly furnished by the manager, H. R. Lemen, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

HARDING, CRAWFORD AND BRADEN FAMILIES

Will Hold a Reunion at Seccaum Park, September 15

The first annual reunion of the Harding, Crawford and Braden families will be held at Seccaum park near Galion, Thursday, September 15. Dr. G. T. Harding, of this city, president of the association, is sending out the invitations. The reunion will be called to order at 10:30 o'clock in the morning. The music will be under the direction of Mrs. Wheeler Dickerson of Corsica. A brief history of the Crawfords will be given from the origin of the name in Scotland in the eleventh century down to the present. Papers will also be read giving accounts of the Bradens who came *from Ireland to America* and settled in Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania, in an early day, and of the descendants of Amos Harding, the pioneer who came from Connecticut to Ohio and founded a large family. A picnic dinner will be served at noon. Every Crawford, Braden and Harding in the United States is invited to attend the reunion.

ANNUAL CARTER REUNION IS HELD

At the Marsh Home Over Near La Rue, Friday

The annual Carter reunion was held at the home of William Marsh of near LaRue last Friday. Forty-eight members of the family were in attendance. After dinner at the noon hour William Marsh was elected president and Willis Robinson vice president. A committee was appointed to write a family history to be read at the next reunion which will be held at the same place in 1911.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thelman and daughter Eva and little Miss [illegible] of Mecker; Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Anderson and daughter Mabel of Forest; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sharp of Green Camp; [illegible] Carter of Bowling Green; Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Durang; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Robinson and son Clyde and [illegible] Dickerson of LaRue; Maggie Sharpe and H. H. Sharpe and son Carl of Kenton; Mr. and Mrs. S. D. McMillen and Howard McMillen of Ada; James E. Rhodes of Creston, Iowa, and Ad Dickerson of this city.

ENTERTAINED AT MONTGOMERY HOME

Are a Number of Marion People All Day Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wall and son Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pe[illegible]son, daughter Zelma and [illegible], Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Montgomery, Mrs. Martha Miller and daughters Eva and Martha, Mrs. Elizabeth Montgomery, Mrs. Mildred Montgomery, Miss Helen Montgomery, Miss Mabel Montgomery, Mr. [illegible] Montgomery, Mr. [illegible] Montgomery and Mr. Howard Montgomery, all of this city, were entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. John Montgomery at their home three miles northeast of Marion.

The pleasant affair was in celebration of the thirty-seventh wedding anniversary of the host and hostess. At noon a bounteous dinner was enjoyed by the company of relatives, covers being laid for twenty-one.

Gets a Divorce

The petition of Clara E. Rudolph Shaw for a divorce from William C. Shaw, the young man who was sent to the Mansfield reformatory some time ago on a charge of embezzling from the Wells-Fargo people at Delaware, has been granted in the Montgomery county courts by Judge C. S. Martin.

Reunion First O. V. V. C.

The thirty-first annual reunion of the First O. V. V. C. will be held at Memorial hall, Wells post room, Columbus, September 20, 1910, the forty-seventh anniversary of the battle of Chickamauga. Comrades are invited to attend and bring their families.

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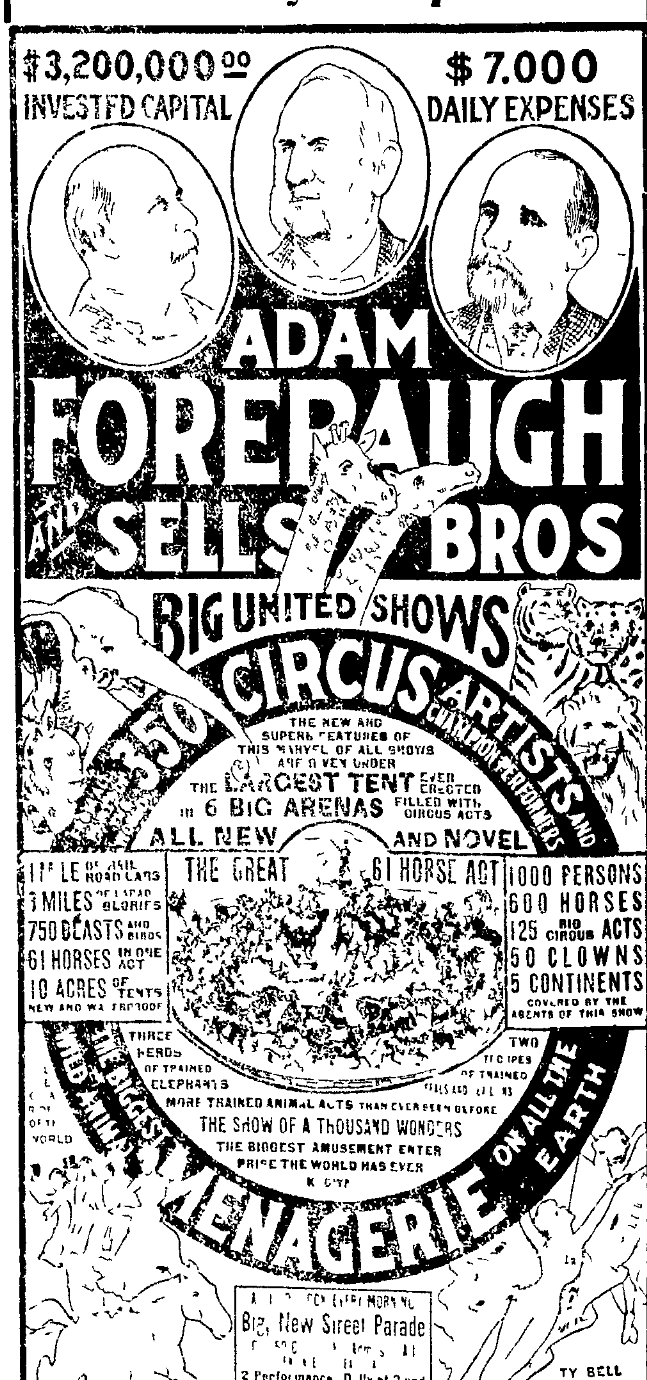
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1000 PERSONS
600 HORSES
125 BIG CIRCUS ACTS
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FOUND UNCONSCIOUS ALONG THE TRACK

Is Big Four Brakeman Leo J Ranch

IS SUPPOSEDLY THE VICTIM OF HOBOES

Falling or Being Thrown Off Big Four Eastbound Freight, No 62 a Mile East of LaRue Thursday Night He Is Not Found Till Friday—Rushed to Cleveland

LaRue Aug 19—[Special]—L J Ranch twenty five years old, a brakeman on eastbound train [illegible] due here at 10 6 last night was found unconscious lying along the tracks of the Big Four railroad a mile east of this village this morning shortly after 6 o'clock He was found by section men when going to work

The injured man was taken to the office of Dr N Sifritt in the Markwith ambulance and an examination revealed that he was suffering from concussion of the brain a deep gash having been cut in his forehead A short time later Ranch partially regained consciousness and mumbling his name said he had fallen off the train He could not tell however how he fell Railroad men here are inclined to believe that he must have had trouble with some hoboes and fell or was thrown from the train when fighting with them

Ranch was taken to Cleveland today and is now in a hospital in the Forest City His home is at Berea He is unmarried

KING'S DAUGHTERS OF SALEM'S CHURCH

Entertained at the Bickel Home Southeast of City

Mrs Harry Sutter and Mrs Fred Bickel entertained the King's Daughters of the Salem's Evangelical [illegible] Sunday school of nine miles southeast of the city at the Bickel home a short distance from the church Thursday afternoon The home was decorated in the class colors purple and old gold

Following roll call an interesting program was rendered Mrs S A Albrecht had charge of the devotionals After a select reading by Mrs George Filmer recitations were given by Mrs F C Messenger Mr Roy Key Mrs Bickel and Miss Dale Billet After a discussion of Japan and current topics the program was brought to a close Throughout the program music and songs were contributed by the company

A two course luncheon was served

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr and Mrs George Fergant of Edison September 8

EARL ROBERTS IS KILLED IN MONTANA

Meets Death as the Result of a Runaway

Ferrel Browne of Salt Rock township received August 19 a telegram telling of the tragic death of Earl Roberts of Crawford county and a native of Marion county near Havre Montana Thursday

Roberts who was twenty seven years old was killed in a runaway He was a partner in the sheep business with Frank Browne a son of Ezekiel Browne and was well known in this county

The dead man was a son of Carl Roberts of Bucyrus

The remains were shipped to [illegible] for interment

John Romoser Cut

J[illegible] Romoser a machinist [illegible] by the Huber Manufacturing company was badly cut in [illegible] the right arm as the result of coming in contact with a [illegible] in a separator at work August 19 He [illegible] Dr C F Sawyer [illegible] His condition is not [illegible]

Harding Family Reunion

The annual reunion of the Harding [illegible] was held Thursday afternoon [illegible] old schoolhouse [illegible] There were [illegible] members of the family [illegible] following [illegible] noon hour [illegible] a business session followed

Taken to Workhouse

[illegible] arrested on a [illegible] to provide for his [illegible] He was taken to the workhouse by Constable [illegible] Saturday [illegible] $100 and costs [illegible] three months [illegible] Charles H Conley [illegible]

DON'T GO HOME WITHOUT A STAR

When you are in Marion on [illegible] don't go home without [illegible] Star It has 16 to 20 pages [illegible] reading matter [illegible] supplement in colors [illegible] all day Sunday Two cents [illegible] of newsboys or at the office

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COMMITTEES ARE SELECTED SATURDAY

For the Reunion of the Marion County Soldiers

The committee on the Marion county soldiers reunion met at the courthouse Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock John H Carpenter was elected temporary chairman of the meeting and J J Crawley secretary The committee voted to hold the reunion at the fairground Wednesday September 28 during the week of the Marion county fair this being Grand Army day

George Ault was elected president of the day S N Titus grand marshal C H Masters of Prospect first vice president Marshall Markey of LaRue second vice president and Charles Patton of Green Camp third vice president

The following are the committees appointed

Dinner—S N Titus and J H Carpenter

Martial music—W B Denman and G I Harding

Vocal music—F B McNeal J V Wilson W C Shute and J J Crawley

Speakers—G I Harding J B King and G B Christian

Finance—G B Christian S N Titus and J B King

It was decided to make arrangements with those in charge of the dining hall to furnish meals at reasonable rates to the old soldiers and their families Others wishing to do so can bring their dinners and eat on the grounds

SIXTY-ONE HORSES ARE SEEN IN ONE BIG ACT

Big Feature of the Great Sells Forepaugh Shows

DIFFERENT FROM ALL OTHER ACTS

The Most Remarkable Trained Animals Performance in the World Captain Webb's Two Troups of Trained Sea Lions Is Another Big Feature To be Seen in Marion Soon

The greatest achievement in the education of the brute mind is to be found in the wonderful sixty one horse act which is this season one of the big animal training features of the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Bros big united shows which are to exhibit in Marion on Thursday September 1

The act is wholly different from all horse acts of the past Every one of the sixty one handsome animals has attained the highest possible plane of brain development their performance ending only with their physical limitations

They perform on a circular platform of six steps entirely on music cues from the band and absolutely without human guidance other than that of their trainer who stands near at hand to prompt them by speech if necessary They understand every word that is said to them and they respond with great promptness They waltz pirouette walk on their hind feet bow in acknowledgment of applause and go through all the intricate figures and maneuvers of a grand opera ballet working together in perfect unison They enter the ring alone and unattended by grooms or trainers and they leave the ring in the same way

It is useless to attempt any further description of the act It is asking too much of the public to believe all of the wonderful things *these animals do without actually* seeing them perform They present the act themselves needing no suggestion or assistance from that superior creature called man and when the band stops playing they know as well as anybody connected with the show that their part of the program is over Bowing low to the audience they form into one long line and gallop out of the tent greatly pleased by the thunderous applause

This is one of the big feature acts of the circus and probably the best of the many trained animal performances on the program though Captain Webb's two troupes of sea lions and seals and the three best trained herds of elephants in the world are creating much wonderment wherever the show is seen Also among the educated animal specialties are troupes of dogs companies of ponies and mules and a veritable barnyard of domestic animals that do everything but talk and after a fashion they even do that

The costly and elaborate new equipment of this circus is a source of great delight to the thousands of people that throng the streets of every city on show day There are ten acres of snow white canvas a mile long train of new cars and three miles of parade wond[illegible] as spick and span new as a falling snow flake Every single one of the hundreds of elaborate floats and wagons and the gold mounted dens and cages all of the thousands of costumes the various flags banners and costly trappings are of European make The big circus employs 1,000 people owns 600 horses and has 750 curious animals on exhibition in its menagerie tent This is an age of wonderful achievements and as far as circus affairs are concerned the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Bros management is far ahead of the times

FREDERICK SCHMIDT MAY DIE OF INJURIES

Received in Runaway Accident Near LaRue

HORSES SCARE AT A PASSING AUTO

The Wagon Is Upset Over a Culvert and the Entire Rig Turns Upside Down the Aged Driver Being Pinned Beneath—Autoists Speed Away

LaRue O Aug 19—[Special]—Frederick Schmidt a prosperous farmer residing four and a half miles southeast of this place was seriously if not fatally injured in a runaway on the Essex and LaRue pike three and half miles south of here about 10 o'clock this morning

Schmidt was on his way to LaRue with an empty hay ladder on his wagon and was crossing a small culvert when a large touring car bore down upon him frightening his team which shied off to the side of the culvert overturning the wagon and precipitating the outfit into the ditch The unfortunate man was pinned under the hay ladder and dragged a distance of fifty or sixty feet by the frightened animals At this point the team broke loose from the rig and was stopped about a half mile south of here by A W Jones

George Raub hearing the commotion rushed to where the injured man lay and took him in his automobile to the office of Dr N Sifritt where his injuries were attended by Dr Sifritt and Dr William Shirk No bones were broken but both legs were badly bruised and the right hip was badly injured as was also the back of the head After his injuries had been dressed he was removed to his home in Markwith's ambulance Mr Schmidt is sixty four years of age and it is feared that his injuries will prove fatal

As soon as the accident occurred the men in the machine which frightened the team got out but seeing the extent of the accident immediately returned to the car and at top speed left the scene Those witnessing the accident were so excited that they failed to get the number of the machine Telephone messages were sent along the route taken by the car but at each place the car had passed previous to the receiving of the word As the machine took a direct route to Marysville the police have been notified at that place and Richwood to be on the lookout for the men The car was a large five passenger touring auto

FARMERS' PICNIC HELD AT PROSPECT

Attendance Is Not So Large as Ordinarily

SO SHORT IS THE NOTICE OF THE EVENT

Principal Addresses Are Made by J W Wilbur Jacoby of This City, and Rev J A Sutton of LaRue A Ball Game Is Interrupted by Rain

Prospect O Aug 19—[Special] The annual Marion county Farmers picnic was held at Cast's grove Thursday The attendance was not as large as usual as it had only been decided within the past couple of weeks to hold the picnic at Prospect this year on account of the street paving and the streets being torn up

Several hundred were present and enjoyed a very pleasant time until the rain drove them into the pavilion and under shelter

At the noon hour picnic dinners were spread all over the grounds and in the afternoon a short program was rendered J Wilbur Jacoby of Marion was the principal speaker of the day and his talk to the farmers was very interesting He was followed by Rev J A Sutton of La Rue who also talked of the conditions of the farmer today Music was furnished by Freda and Lorena O[illegible] and Paul C[illegible] and consisted of vocal and instrumental numbers

After the program a ball game was played by Marion and Prospect teams but the game was called at the eighth inning on account of the rain The score stood at eleven to eight in favor of Prospect

City School Examiners

The Board of School Examiners of the City School District of the City of Marion Ohio will hold an examination for applicants for certificates to teach on Wednesday and Thursday August 31 and September 1 beginning at 8 a m

Information concerning the examination may be obtained by applying to the clerk of the Board of Examiners

F C Bowen President
Phone 1-9-

John H Clark Clerk
Phones 106 and 1 2

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F A Stengle optician, 8 State st 210 e&wk

FARMERS FIGHT BIG GRASS FIRE

Two Stacks of Hay and Some Fence Burned

LaRue O Aug [illegible]—[Special]—Two stacks containing about twelve tons of hay belonging to James A Burdge and a number of rods of fence belonging to John Scranton and Mr Burdge were destroyed in a fire along the Erie railroad north of here Sunday morning The fire was caused by a spark from an Erie engine and burned for a quarter of a mile across a [illegible] field belonging to Mr Scranton into a hay field containing several ricks of hay The fire raged from 10 a m to 3 p m

EDWARD C GABLER SELLS HIS GROCERY

Located at No 120 North Greenwood Street

Saturday E C Gabler sold his grocery at No 120 north Greenwood street to C A and Misses S Ruth who took possession Monday morning

Mr Gabler who was formerly local agent for the Wells Fargo & Company express expects to reenter the express business after a much needed rest Will H Hunt the present agent for the Wells Fargo probably will return to his old work as railway express messenger and Mr Gabler will succeed him as agent here

MRS.E.E.EVERETT DIES NORTH OF LARUE TODAY

Stricken by Apoplexy at An Early Hour

AN HOUR LATER SHE IS A CORPSE

Mrs Everett Had Been Enjoying Her Usual Health Apparently of Late—Physician Is Summoned But His Efforts To Save Her Life Are Utterly Vain

La Rue O Aug 20—[Special]—Mrs E E Everett died at her home one and a half miles north of here this morning at 6 30 o'clock of apoplexy She was in apparently her usual health early this morning and had prepared breakfast as usual She had stepped to the well for a pitcher of water when she suffered a severe pain in the head resulting in apoplexy At the time she seemed to realize that death was near for she said to her daughter be a good girl She then sank into unconsciousness in which state she remained until death

Dr N Sifritt was hastily summoned but all efforts to revive her were of no avail and she died just one hour after having been stricken

The deceased was born in Hardin county and was a daughter of the late Mr and Mrs James Hastings pioneer residents of this county She was one of a family of seventeen children Had she lived until Monday she would have been fifty four years of age Since childhood she had made her home in this county She was a loyal member of the M E church and a lovable woman

A husband and a daughter Mabel aged fifteen years survive The only son died three years ago

The funeral will be held from the late residence Monday afternoon at 1 30 o'clock Burial will be made in the La Rue cemetery

THE WIZARD OF UNITED STATES

Will Play Checkers at Marion City Hospital

Edgar P Wollerton of Louisville who is known among checker players as The Wizard of the United States dropped into this city Friday evening and badly beat the local men at the game Saturday

While here Wollerston intends to obtain all the names of local players and it is probable that as a result of his visit here an organized club of players will be arranged

Friday evening The Wizard met the local men During the evening in the one played at the office of Dr H J Foster Earl Wilson the champion player of Union county played John Roberts the champion in Marion county and won six out of twelve games there being two draws Roberts won four games

SHIVELY GIRL IS FOUND IN CLEVELAND

Where She Is Deserted by Her Companion, Harry Lea

Louise the fourteen year old daughter of Captain S C Shively of near Delaware for whom futile search was made in this city and county by her father has returned to her home after being located in Cleveland where she was employed as a domestic The girl says that she and Harry Lea her father's farmhand came to Marion August 7 and went to Cleveland from this city Two days later the girl says that Lea deserted her and she went to work under the assumed name of Grace Misseldine Lea will be prosecuted on a kidnapping charge it is said, if he is apprehended

OTTO B. SAITER DIES EARLY MONDAY

In a Sanatorium at Lake Geneva Wisconsin

FUNERAL TO BE HELD IN MARION WEDNESDAY

For Last Twenty Years He Had Been Engaged in the Railroad Business Member of the O R C a Shriner and a Thirty Second Degree Mason Former Marion Boy

Otto P Saiter fifty six years of age died in a sanatorium at Lake Geneva Wisconsin Monday morning The remains were brought to this city last Tuesday and the funeral was held at the home of his mother Mrs Samuel Saiter of south Main street Wednesday

Otto B Saiter was well known to Marionites particularly to those of middle age from his residence of a quarter of a century in this city prior to his departure for Mexico about twenty years ago where he followed the occupation of a railroad conductor A little over a year ago he suffered a breakdown and came to his home town to recuperate Last January his brother E R Saiter of this city started with him for El Paso Texas but by the time he reached Chicago Otto's condition was such that he was taken to Lake Geneva where his death occurred Monday as stated of paresis

Mr Saiter was a member of the O R C of El Paso and a Shriner and thirty second degree Mason He is survived by his mother and two brothers Mr Saiter of this city and Mr Warren S Saiter of the Annadome hotel Chicago His father preceded him in death some years ago

Miss Emma Ruth of Agosta who has completed her course at the School of Commerce has accepted a position in the office of George F Gorin

If you know what Hart, Schaffner & Marx name in clothes means you don't need to be told what this sale represents.

$25 H S & M Suits now $15 75
$15 Suits now [illegible]
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We are now receiving, in a large assortment, our fall styles in neckwear. All of the newest shades and colors are here in profusion and we can suit the most particular buyer. Make your selections now.

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Children's Barefoot Sandals, sizes 11 to 13, regular 60c value, going at 35c

Ladies' White Canvas Oxfords sizes 2½, 3, 3½ and 4 going at . 39c

Children's Strap Slippers, $1 25 and $1 50 values going at. 98c

Men's odd pairs of Oxford patent gun metals and tans, regular $3 50 & $4 val $2.50 $3.00

Children's White Canvas Oxford, the ideal shoe for summer wear, regular 75c and $1 00 values. 35c

Children's Strap Slippers, sizes 6 to 8 regular $1 00 values going at. 73c

Ladies' Gun Metal Oxfords, the new Hi Toe effect, cheap at $3, going at $2

No matter what you need in shoes you can get it here for less

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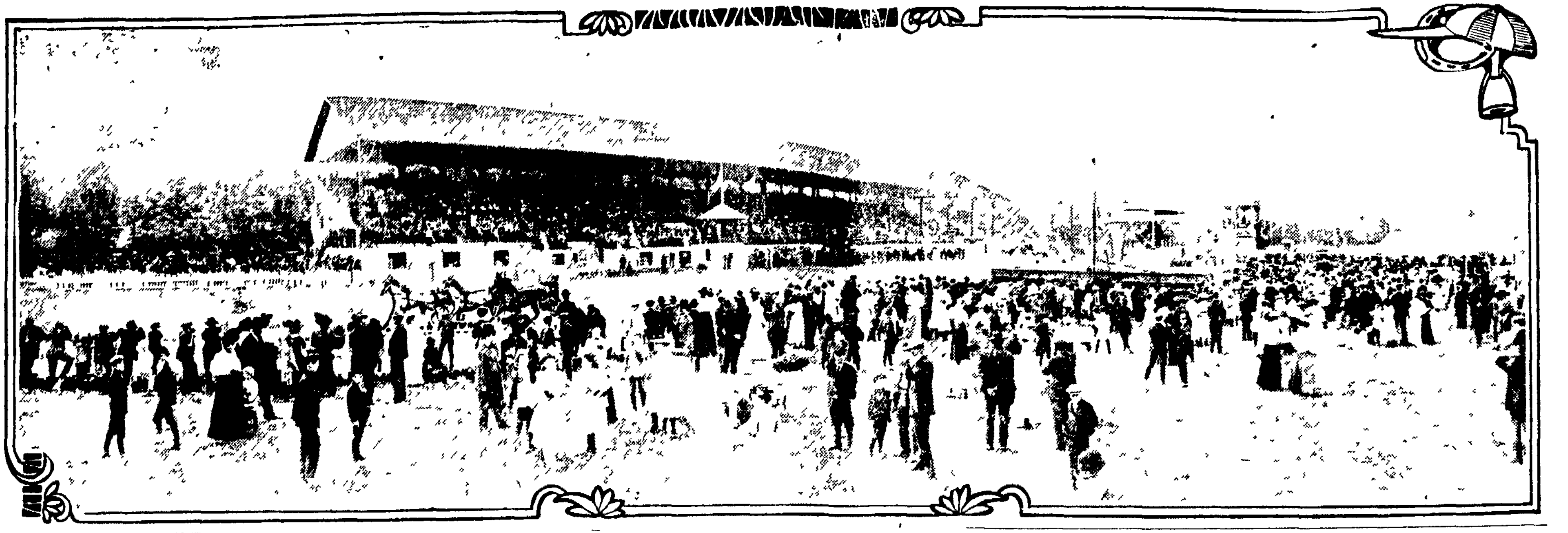

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3 qt butter crocks	5c
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Paraffine per lb cake	8 1-3c
Mason jar lids per doz	15c & 20c
Mason jars (Ball brand) per doz	50c
Best tin cans per doz	35c
Pure sealing wax per cake	3c
Jar rubbers per doz 5c, 8 1-3c	10c
98c white lined enameled kettle for	75c
7 c white lined enameled kettle for	15c
c granite kettles	10c
Paring knives	25c, 10c & 5c
10 qt Jappanned chamber pails	25c
10 qt tin pails	25c, 20c & 10c

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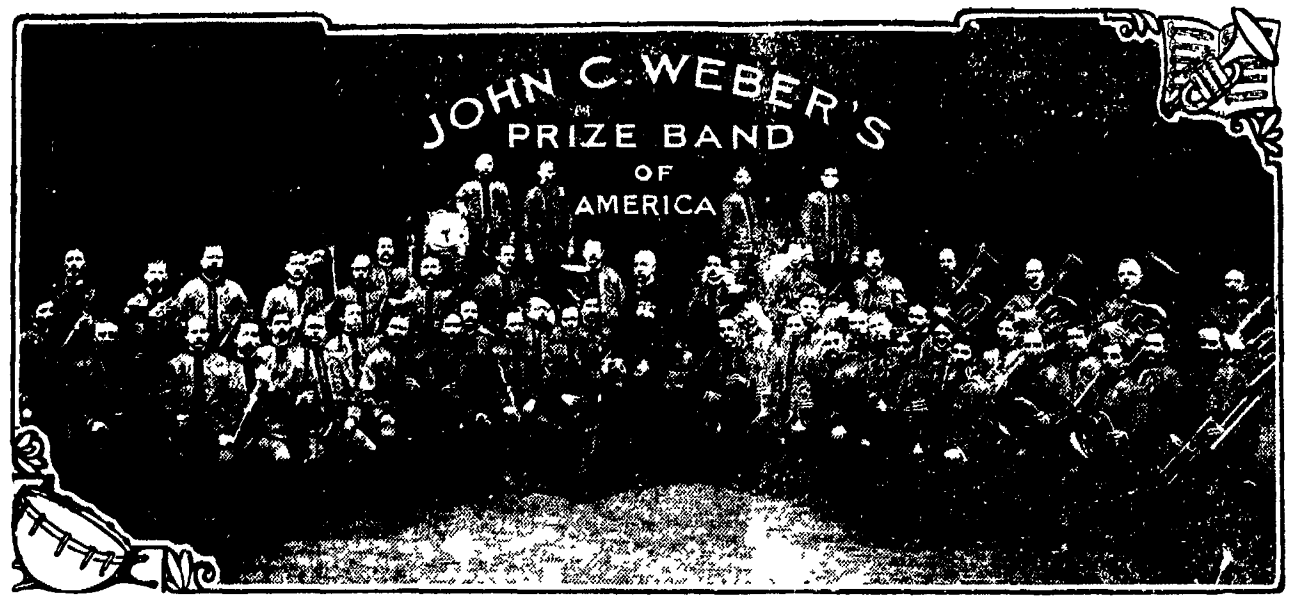

MUSIC lovers will be afforded a rare treat at the coming Ohio State Fair to be held in Columbus, Sept 5 6 7, 8 and 9, as on each of the above dates Weber's famous organization assisted by Blanche Berndt Mehaffey, America's sweetest song bird will give concerts afternoon and evening The fame of this organization is worldwide The amusement program of the exposition this year is the most elaborate in its history In addition to the **band concerts** harness racing twenty three feature acts and other novelties are daily programmed while **each night** Pain's thrilling spectacle **Battle In the Clouds** will be presented Each evening's performance will conclude with a $ 00 **display of Pain's** Manhattan Beach fireworks

THE RICHWOOD CORN EVAPORATING PLANT

Is Now in Readiness for Full Operation

GROWTH OF SWEET CORN IS RETARDED

Veterans of the 121st Regiment O V I Hold a Reunion and Enjoy a Chicken Dinner—Election of Officers—Company in Honor of a Former Pastor of Richwood

Richwood O Aug 2 [Special] The sweet corn evaporating plant which has been in course of construction in Richwood during the past several months by J B Hostetter of Lititz Pennsylvania is now ready for operation The plant is situated just west of the Erie railroad track near the depot The *drouth existing here for several* weeks past has greatly retarded the growth of the sweet corn and it is likely that the crop will be small Conditions are very much against the success of the enterprise for this season and its promoters are greatly discouraged

Mrs D B Whitehead and son James returned home Friday from Van Wert where they visited the former's parents Rev Mr and Mrs J P Jones

A L Laxton of Columbus visited his mother Mrs M E Laxton and other relatives here during the past week

Mrs Elizabeth Haines and daughter Mrs A J Miller Miss Gladys and Master Lowell Miller returned home Saturday from Ada where they spent a few days with relatives

The thirty third annual reunion of the 121st regiment O V I was held at Richwood Thursday seventy six veterans from various parts of Ohio registering The visitors were escorted to the parlors of the M E church where a fine chicken dinner was served and was greatly enjoyed At 2 o'clock the crowd assembled at the opera house where a fine program was rendered and a business meeting held The address of welcome was given by Rev Charles B Cramer of the M E church C J Patten of Green Camp responding In the absence of the president J H Reece who was ill W B Patten of Delaware was appointed chairman Mrs Georgia Curry the secretary read a report of the reunion held last year at Bellefontaine and read several letters from absent comrades The speaker for the afternoon was Colonel W L Curry commissioner of pensions of Ohio of Columbus He was followed by Colonel A B Robinson of Marysville and others Reports of various committees were read and the nominating committee reported the new corps of officers for the ensuing year as follows President R S Lonnett secretary E J Arthur treasurer O M Scott all of Marysville that city being chosen as the place of holding the next reunion the third Thursday in August 1911 A rousing camp fire was held in the evening speeches being made by the comrades and others Music was furnished by the Richwood School Band The following were present from Marion county B B Clark W H Herrington Peter Beger Marion D H Clifton DeCliff William Everole J W *Latter* Caledonia Charles K Van Houten Prospect A M Austin Harper J B Trawl C J Patten J P Carmine John J David Green Camp Union county was represented by the following Colonel A B Robinson E J Arthur O M Scott Harmon Fitch Sergeant R S Lonnette Marysville John Fellin C D Meddles Jesse Dean Joseph Loyd David Swartz Richwood

Mr W W Geech and Miss Thompson of Granville have been the guests of Mr and Mrs H Curts during the past week

Amos Tanner and Arthur Fletcher went to Newark Friday to attend the annual reunion of the Haines family held near that city

Mrs Lee Cramer and children of Dayton who spent two weeks with Mrs Martha Cramer and other relatives here went to Marion, Wednesday to visit Mr Cramer's sister Mrs Arthur Thompson before returning home

Miss Alice Cremer of Marysville has been the guest of Mrs Barbara *Spohn* for several days

Miss Maude Dean is enjoying a two weeks vacation from her duties at Carmean's store and is visiting friends in Galion and Newark

Mrs Magdalene Schaff is erecting a new dwelling on the corner of Fulton and Fairground streets

Harry E Teel enjoyed a few days outing at Buckeye lake during the past week

Mr and Mrs Howard Cahill and daughter spent the past week with Mrs Cahill's parents, at Marysville

Mr and Mrs H V Spicer and daughters Alice and Clara spent the past week at Niagara Falls

Miss Lottie and Miss Mae Keller of Cleveland have been the guests of the Misses Sadie and Gertrude Ehlet during the past week

Miss Lelah Winter is the guest of friends in Ashland Kentucky

Mr and Mrs C C Johnson have returned home from a week's outing at Put in Bay and Cedar Point While absent Mr Johnson attended the convention of railway agents held in Cleveland last week

Miss Mary Moore who has been ill for several days threatened with typhoid fever is slowly improving

J A Hinkle arrived here Thursday *from Logansport Indiana* to join his wife and daughter who have been visiting Mrs Sarah Spark and other relatives here for several weeks

Harold Holver [illegible] of [illegible] has been visiting friends in Richwood his former home for several days

Mrs [illegible] White and son Frederick returned to their home in Cleveland Saturday after a visit of several weeks with Mrs White's sisters Mrs M J Hundley and Mrs A W Robinson

Mrs Hazel Robinson went to Cleveland Saturday where she expects to remain for some time with relatives

Rev Leon Arpee of [illegible] a former pastor of the [illegible] has been the [illegible] Hughes and family and other friends during the past few days Rev Mr Arpee occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church Sunday His sister Mrs Sarah [illegible] Arpee will leave soon for Atlanta having been employed as instructor in a [illegible] college of that state

O G [illegible] went to Cincinnati last week [illegible]

The country home of Rev N F Kinney and family just west of Richwood was the scene of a very enjoyable affair Friday evening the congregations of [illegible] and Claibourne M E churches together with a number of people from Richwood meeting there for a social evening Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was spent by all

Dr S J Bowman and family attended the annual reunion of the Ritchie and Gardner families held at the home of Joseph Ritchie near Claibourne Thursday One hundred and fifteen members of the family were in attendance The reunion next year will be held at the residence of C McAllister near Richwood

Mrs O G Bolenbaugh was the guest of Mr and Mrs C J Baldwin of West Mansfield last week

The annual reunion of the Tanner family will be held at the residence of Mr and Mrs Amos Tanner of Beatty avenue September 5

BIRTHS.

Born Friday night a son to Mr *and Mrs Charles W Baer of Grand* Prairie township

A daughter was born to Mr and Mrs Ira Davis of this city Saturday morning

A son was born Saturday to Mr and Mrs John Kerr residing in Bain avenue

Mr and Mrs William Clunk of [illegible] avenue are the parents of a daughter born Thursday afternoon

A son was born Sunday to Mr and Mrs George Lacey formerly of this city at Hammond Indiana

Mr and Mrs Otto L Simpson of Mark street are the parents of a daughter born Monday morning

A son was born Sunday morning to Mr and Mrs Archie Brown of [illegible] street

Born to Mr and Mrs E Thatcher of Mound street Sunday a son

MRS DENZER DIES NORTHEAST OF WALDO

Attains Grand Old Age of Four Score and Two

Mrs Henrietta Denzer aged eighty two years widow of Eberhart Denzer died [illegible] at the home of her son Albert Denzer a farm three miles northeast of Waldo Saturday afternoon about [illegible] o'clock

Mrs Denzer was born and married in Germany coming to this country many years ago Her husband died in Waldo township about ten years ago Her maiden name was Walters She is survived by three sons and one daughter—David William and Albert Denzer and Mrs *Alexander Biggs*

The funeral services were held at the Lutheran church at Waldo Monday at 2 30 o'clock followed by interment in the Waldo cemetery

Victim of Accident

Martin Noonan an employe of the Marion Steam Shovel company was the victim of a painful accident while at work about o'clock Friday afternoon He was struck by a piece of steel below the left eye and a deep wound was inflicted

PROBATE COURT.

An order of private sale has been granted in the probate court in the matter of the estate of the late Andrew Luvist Twenty acres in Big Island township are to be sold by the administratrix Mrs Eudora Luvist *the land being appraised at $1 100*

W C Bennett has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Lopt deceased

Marshal Marley has been appointed administrator de bonis non of the estate of John Marley deceased

BAVARIAN DUKE WILL SEE AMERICAN CITIES AND GIRLS

COUNT VON COURTEN
DUKE FRANZ JOSEF OF BAVARIA
CAPT VON LOSSOW
PRINCE LUITPOLD, REGENT OF BAVARIA

New York Aug 1 Many American [illegible] will be visited by Duke [illegible] Josef of Bavaria who [illegible] recently and what the [illegible] elects to say so there [illegible] believe that he will not be [illegible] meeting American girls [illegible] his journeys The duke [illegible] looking genial bachelor [illegible] and is accompanied by [illegible] von Lossow of the German [illegible] He says there would be no objection to his marrying an [illegible] and added You know the [illegible] William is very fond of [illegible] Duke Franz Josef [illegible] of the prince regent The [illegible] that he may ever ascend [illegible] is rather remote His father was the Duke Karl [illegible] noted for his contributions [illegible] various branches of optical [illegible] Karl Theodor was one of [illegible] skilled oculists in Europe [illegible] and Franz Josef succeeded [illegible] the year 1909 Franz Josef is an aunt of the king of [illegible] His aunt, the Empress [illegible] of Austria was assassinated [illegible] Geneva twelve years ago [illegible] young duke is a lieutenant in [illegible] William's First regiment of Uhlans He has had three years service and is one of the expert horsemen in Europe After I complete my present term of service said the duke I shall visit America [illegible] I think it is much better for one to have work [illegible] rested [illegible] I have work I could never be idle I think when you are engaged in some sort of work that life is much more [illegible] I am very keen to learn all about your wonderful commercial life we hear so much about on the other side I want to visit your large industries here I shall go to Chicago and then to the Pacific coast I shall look into your banking system and what you call your billion dollar enterprises I should like very much I think to return here when I complete my army service and enter the banking business

COMMON PLEAS.

Following a reconciliation the divorce action of Carrie E Harruff against Benjamin Harruff was dismissed by Judge W L Scofield Friday

In the partition suit of Grover C Hite against Frances E Hite and others Harry N Nichols has been *appointed guardian ad litem* with leave to answer instanter Finding is also made in this case in accordance with the prayer of the petition a writ of partition being awarded Samuel Campbell J S Van Buskirk and Harry Bibler are named as commissioners

The sale of the property of the Greenwood Street Lumber company has been confirmed and a deed ordered It was sold by sheriff's sale to P M Smith a representative of the Continental Lumber company of Chicago

George Kehmn who was fined $17 and costs in the court of Mayor John G Seiter August through Attorney L F Myers filed a petition in error last Friday in the common pleas court The usual grounds of error in Rose law violation cases are set up

No Serious Results Feared

A twelve year old son of Mr and Mrs George Miller of Davids street fell from a porch of a newly constructed residence in his neighborhood Monday afternoon The boy struck the ground on his head and was rendered unconscious for a short time Dr P B Sawyer was called and on examination found the boy to be badly bruised about the body and suffering from a slight concussion of the brain but no serious developments are feared

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See the Beautiful Pieces of Cut Glass

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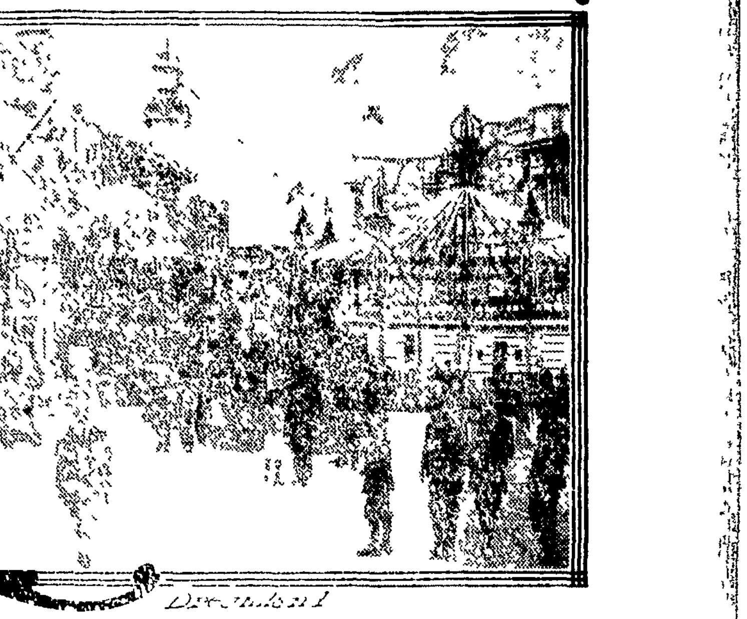


Dreamland

THAT the average New Yorker is the most provincial of all provincials is best exemplified by his loyalty to Coney Island, a common playground for Father Knickerbocker and his progeny. Each year new parks and amusement places spring up in and around Greater New York only to prove a nine days' wonder and then lapse into a state of innocuous desuetude from want of patronage. Year after year, month after month, week after week and day after day all roads lead to Coney, and even now the constantly increasing transportation lines there concentrating are taxed to their utmost in hauling the millions to and from the Island. Its popularity apparently never wanes, and to judge from the mammoth crowds that daily surge through its narrow and dirty little streets its future is so well assured that those who have there invested millions in purveying to the amusement of their patrons can safely look forward to years of prosperity in the form of dividends far in excess of the dreams of the most conscienceless "get rich quick" promoter.

It is not necessary to overtax one's memory to recall the days when Coney Island consisted of a boardwalk, a merry-go-round, a roller coaster or two and countless beer gardens where wheezy orchestrions or discordant bands blared forth the popular melodies of the day. Maybe a leather-lunged young man and short-skirted young woman with paint-besmeared cheeks and a high-pitched cracked soprano bawled out a ballad which had to do with home and mother. Where such enterprise on the part of Mine Host was manifest his reward came in the form of nickels and dimes in such proportion that he was soon forced to hire an extra bartender or two and several more "beer slingers," as the waiters of Coney Island of those days were called. Strange to say, the march of progress has not elevated their standard of excellence, and "beer slingers" they still remain.

But all or nearly all is changed now. The capital invested at this resort runs high into the millions, and one marvels at the chances these intrepid capitalists take when it is recalled that Coney Island is constructed of gold and tinsel and papier mache or materials equally unenduring and quite as inflammable. Croakers have predicted for generations that either fire or a tidal wave would sooner or later sweep the Island off the face of the map. Somehow, despite the hard knocks it has received from fire and water, Coney [illegible] like, arises from her ashes finer, more glittering and far more distracting each year.

The Coney Island that New Yorkers and the millions who annually visit there know today is in reality less than 10 years old, for this Coney Island only dates from the birth of Luna Park and Dreamland. These two wonderful parks would in themselves provide ample amusement for the residents of any other city but New York. Indeed it is extremely doubtful if any other city could support them as they are conducted in their present locality.

With the birth of Luna and Dreamland less than 10 years ago Coney Island assumed a new complexion and the character of the crowds that flock there each afternoon and evening completely changed. True, those who in the past were wont to regard a trip to Coney Island in the light of a slumming trip can still gratify that desire, but their haunts would be along Coney's Bowery and the third-class beer halls and tough and tenny amusement resorts that still abound there. Nothing of this sort can be found within the boundaries of Luna or Dreamland, and the crowds that plunge so eagerly into the fun there abounding is of a different sort from that which flocks to the drinking places and the hot dog stands.

The thrills that greet the visitor at every turn at Coney Island are of such a variety that one is hard put to determine which is the most hair-raising. Everything from the "Loop the Loop" to the "Helter Skelter" is here to be found, and in each there is a sufficient element of danger to give it just the proper zest. Of course the Roller Coasters still exist, but on such an elaborate scale that there is little to suggest the scenic railways of a decade ago. Here they are dignified by the titles of "Mountain Torrent," "Dragon's Gorge" and other equally fantastic titles. The scenic artists' talents and skill have been given full scope in constructing twists and turns through rushing water and over caverns and gorges of papier mache, but so realistic as to suggest to the flying passenger that he is making a mile-a-minute dash through the Grand Canyons of the Rockies. At every turn the passengers are vividly reminded that should the little cars in which they are seated be jolted from the tracks they would be dashed to eternity, yet withal there are few accidents. When such mishaps do occur it is more often the fault of the pleasure seekers than those operating the coasters. In nearly every crowd there can be found the "Rock the Boat Fool." Coney Island is no exception.

After leaving one of the many trains that run to the Island or upon disembarking from one of the many steamboats that ply between the Island and points in Greater New York and Jersey, the crowds soon scatter and surge either into Luna Park or Dreamland. Many come with baskets prepared for an all day outing of the picnic variety, while others at once seek one of the many first class restaurants scattered over and adjacent to the Island. After partaking of dinner or luncheon the fun begins, and from then on until long past midnight it waxes fast and furious. It all depends upon the tastes and inclinations of the pleasure seekers just what their fun shall be.

Frederick Thompson, who founded Luna Park, is a firm believer in the theory that none of us are too old to hark back to childhood days and the particular form of amusement that pleased us most then. For this reason many of the most mirth provoking devices in Luna Park are based on this principle. Take the Helter Skelter for instance. Hundreds of men, women and children are daily hoisted to the top of a tower where they seat themselves on a cushion which rests at the top of a winding, twisting and grooved incline down which they are shot with the rapidity of a bullet. They land gently but not gracefully at the bottom of the incline, unhurt, a little frightened and much abashed by the shouts of the multitude which invariably stands around to see the novice on his or her initial trip. The Helter Skelter after all is but an amplified slide down the cellar door. Of course you have slid down the cellar door. Why, to be sure.

Not far from the Helter Skelter is to be found the Pneumatic Tubes. This is based on the principle of the cash carriages that are shot overhead in nearly all of the big and little department stores the country over. Passengers are loaded into the tubes and then with lightning-like rapidity hurled along through space until they fetch up at the starting place exhilarated and thrilled, a little breathless perhaps, but ready and anxious to invest another nickel for another thrill. And so it is all through one's tour of the two big amusement parks. Thrills for the more venturesome and entertainment of a more serious and quieter form for the more sedate. At every step the barkers or ballyhoo men cry out the nature of the entertainment they are promoting, and on little stages erected at the entrances to the theaters or arenas just enough of the show scheduled for the stage within is given to whet the appetite of the gaping crowd.

At both Luna Park and Dreamland big stages have been erected in the center of the parks where open-air free shows are given. These take on the character of the circus, and here many thrilling equestrian and trapeze acts are given at regular intervals. Many think that these free shows in themselves are worth the trip to the Island, and hundreds of people spend the entire evening at the ringsides watching these performances. A number of the high-priced acts that are seen at the Hippodrome in the winter months are brought here gratis by the management of the two big parks, and at Luna Park the incomparable and inimitable Marceline, the King of Clowns, cuts up his antics to the huge delight of Little America.

The rivalry between the two parks is keen, and at each place much is done to hold the crowds that file through their many gateways. Each has its big attractions and many lesser ones as well, but the real money-makers are the attractions owned by the proprietors themselves, and these are relied upon to draw the biggest receipts. Luna Park has several of these, and it is difficult to particularize. The Shoot-the-Chute at Luna is no doubt its biggest money maker. After being drawn to a dizzy height the little gondolas are let down a steep runway and then hurled out upon a big [illegible] that ripples through the center of the big park. It is on a stage erected over this lagoon that the hippodrome acts are given.

The biggest of all big shows at the Island is to be found in Dreamland, and that is Creation. This wonderful spectacle is one of the few shows whose popularity has extended over several seasons. Creation was first seen on the Pike at the St. Louis Exposition. Gumpertz imported it to Coney, and there it has been running to the capacity of the theater in which it is presented ever since. Creation is a Biblical play, and this, together with the introduction of moving pictures into many of its scenes, goes far towards sustaining the public's interest in the beautiful pageant. Another attraction which has Dreamland for its home is Bostock's Wild Animal Show, and it never fails to draw crowded houses throughout the afternoon and evening. The roar of the wild beasts confined to their cages but whets the appetite of the gaping crowd for what will follow when lions, tigers and other ferocious beasts are put through their paces in the big amphitheater within under the guidance of men and women trainers. It always thrills.

A visitor to Coney Island for the first time would be apt to remark that the crowds that gather there are cheap, that there they spend only nickels and dimes. All of which is true. But were that visitor to take up his stand before any one of the penny amusement booths and there remain all afternoon and evening he would soon realize how soon these dimes and nickels run into dollars and hundreds of dollars at that.

They little realize how much is spent at Coney Island each day for food and souvenirs. Half a million dollars are annually spent at the Island for popcorn, green corn and clam chowder, while $100,000 goes for cheap and trivial souvenirs. The picture and photo postal cards realize a handsome fortune along the beach. Statisticians will tell you that the average man visiting the Island spends [illegible]0 cents for each trip. The women, they claim, will average 50 cents. And as the women are the better spenders this accounts for the preponderance of devices that appeal more strongly to the fair sex.

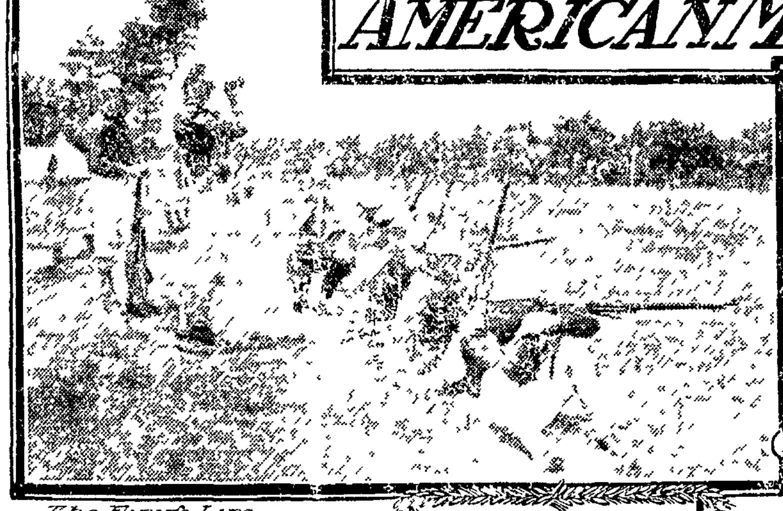
The average daily attendance at Coney Island is placed at [illegible]0,000. A hot Saturday will draw at least 1[illegible]0,000 persons. Sundays and holidays, such as the Fourth of July, the attendance mounts up to [illegible]0,000 and over.

Realty values in Coney Island have reached enormous proportions, and in consequence rentals are fixed at figures which the uninitiated would at once pronounce exorbitant. In fact, values here have increased with greater rapidity than in Manhattan.

Luna Park represents in land and improvements about $1,000,000. This capital is tied up [illegible] weeks in the year, with only about [illegible] weeks from which dividends can be derived. Yet it thrives, and each year the amusements installed are of a more elaborate and far more costly variety, but the price to its patrons remains the same.

There is but one Coney Island. Some say it is the most demoralizing place on earth. Maybe it is, but there is some satisfaction in knowing that he who wishes to be demoralized will never be lonesome, for no matter at what hour of the day or night he takes a trip to Coney he will find thousands there awaiting him.

THE SUPREME TEST OF AMERICAN MARKSMANSHIP

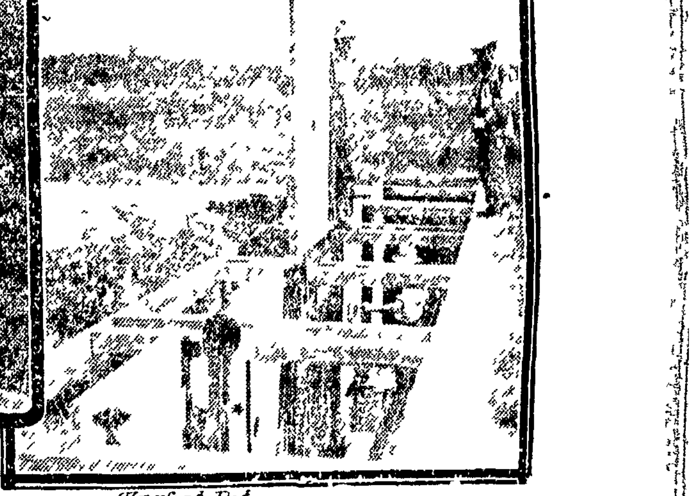


The Firing Line

In a Target Pit

New Style Target (on left) Adopted by the U S Government

Preparing a Target



Target Pit

WHEN the rifles begin to crack on Monday morning, August [illegible], in the national matches at Camp Perry, O., the picked marksmen of the entire country will have entered upon the supreme test of their marksmanship—a competition that comes but once each year. The interesting part of it is that the sharpshooters who will face the long lines of targets on the shore of Lake Erie represent all sections of the republic and every class of our national community that pays attention in the line of duty or pleasure to rifle and revolver shooting. Thus the trained experts of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps, with whom target shooting is an everyday procedure, will be pitted against the sharpshooters of the National Guard of all the states and the stars of that very large body of private citizens who indulge in rifle practice with firearms for the love of it, but whose keen interest in the pursuit serves to make them in many instances as good or better shots than the men who make a business of it.

The preliminaries for this great national shoot have been in progress for some weeks past. After practicing steadily from early spring the various rifle teams and individual competitors had an opportunity the latter part of July at the great matches of the New England Military Rifle Association to test their prowess under competitive conditions and incidentally to get a line on the good and bad points of their prospective competitors. At Camp Perry itself there has been almost continuous shooting since the first week in August, the fore part of the month being given over to the matches of the Ohio National Guard, the matches of the Ohio State Rifle Association and other events restricted for the most part to marksmen of the Buckeye State.

The culmination of popular interest, however, is waited upon the sensational national matches which are scheduled for the fourth week of the month. These [illegible] are denominated the national [illegible] not only because of their scope but by reason of the fact that they are conducted by the national board for the promotion of rifle practice, which is a government institution, and Congress by annual appropriation provides the money for the thousands of dollars of prizes which are hung up for the men who make the most bull's-eyes in this test.

There are team matches (for teams of 12 men) and individual matches for rifle shooting and individual revolver matches. While, as has been explained, the principal participants in this great marksmanship contest represent one or another of the branches of our regular Army, Navy, Marine Corps or the National Guard of some state of the Union, the individual matches are open to all the private citizens having membership in any of the numerous rifle clubs scattered over the country. Sometimes it happens, too, that the results in the individual matches go to prove that by no means all the formidable marksmen in the country are enrolled in one or another of the military or naval organizations, as is naturally enough the common impression. The highest cash prize in any event is $4[illegible], and from that the cash purses scale downward by [illegible] steps. However, each first prize includes, in addition to the cash bonus (in the case of the team matches) a cup or trophy, and each and every marksman, whether team member or individual, who lands in the prize winning class receives a personal token in the form of a medal of gold, silver or bronze, according to the degree of his success.

Camp Perry, the scene of this remarkable carnival of marksmanship, is rapidly assuming the importance of a national mecca for all persons interested in rifle and revolver shooting. Indeed it has of late years become a practice for great numbers of persons in all parts of the country who take an interest in this sport to select the latter part of August as their vacation time and spend it in watching the fine shooting at the Ohio targets. Women, too, now come in considerable numbers. Indeed the influx of the fair sex is such that a ladies' camp has been established.

The model rifle range of the continent is now being studied very carefully by the authorities of various states which contemplate providing similar target facilities for their citizen soldiery and by the United States government, which has in prospect several ideal ranges in addition to the one recently established on the Potomac River near Indian Head, Md. The camp grounds at Camp Perry comprise 300 acres, and it is so located that the rifle range enables the shooting to be done due north from a common firing line which serves the short, mid and long ranges. The camp is located on the main line of one of the trunk [illegible] three railroads and special tracks with [illegible] terminals run direct to the different sections of the grounds. The location on the south shore of Lake Erie enables [illegible], and the proximity of the vast inland sea is likewise a boon in that the [illegible] has over a mile of [illegible] such as is to be found nowhere in the world.

The National [illegible] fund has free to all the competitors who come to Camp Perry to participate in the great national matches [illegible] tents, cots [illegible] and other camp furniture. [illegible] must of course [illegible], but subsistence [illegible] in the various messes or at the [illegible] at reasonable rates. It is a [illegible] up to date tent city that [illegible] on the [illegible] of old Erie during the [illegible]. There are electric lights [illegible] and many of the campers have all [illegible] luxuries ranging all the way from collapsible canvas bath tubs to [illegible]. The drinking water is pure, filtered lake water which has been pronounced [illegible] by the United States Army surgeons, and all sewage and [illegible] is disposed of by the latest scientific methods, so that the health of the troops is always of the best.

What might be termed the mechanical equipment, that is the target arrangements, of a great modern rifle range is a marvel that never fails to impress a person visiting one of the big marksmanship fields for the first time. The groups of targets, with anywhere from two to a dozen targets in each group, are placed at varying distances. For the national revolver matches there will be employed targets placed respectively at [illegible] and 75 yards, whereas for the national rifle matches there will be utilized targets placed at [illegible], 600 and 1000 yards respectively. Against these will be directed in turn slow fire, rapid fire and skirmish fire. Incidentally it may be explained that on all the leading American ranges two different types of targets are now in use. One style bears the regulation representation of a black ball or bull's-eye surrounded by circles familiar to all our readers, whereas the newer design bears a silhouette representing a man crouching in firing position as the rifleman might be expected to do in time of battle. Targets are not mounted as in days of yore on heavy wooden boards, but instead the paper targets are pasted upon burlap tightly stretched on wooden frames which are comparatively light in weight and may be readily handled.

After each shot fired at a target the target is examined, the position of the bullet noted and signaled to the marksman, the scar plugged or painted over and the target put back in position. Needless to say, this work is going on almost continuously for six hours a day at a large number of targets—there are [illegible] targets at Camp Perry. It is only by a very perfect routine and working system that there is no [illegible] accident to the boys who [illegible] the targets and who must remain at their posts of duty though shots are [illegible] when the firing is in progress. The approved scheme is to provide target pits in the form of steel walled alleys heavily banked with earth. Here the target tenders or markers are stationed, and here, out of sight of the riflemen, they perform all the tasks of chronicling the position of each shot, pasting a piece of paper over the bullet hole following each shot, and putting in place a wholly new target when one in use has become so riddled with shots as to prove useless.

At each opening in the target pit the targets are arranged in duplicate, so to speak, that is, two targets are provided, although only one can be exposed at a time. The two targets are placed on a simple elevator or dumbwaiter and are so nicely balanced that very little strength is required to shift them. By the operation of this seesaw arrangement, as one target is elevated into the line of vision of the marksman its mate is simultaneously drawn down into the shelter of the pit. Thus while a marksman is aiming and firing at one target a boy behind the protective breastwork is patching up the other target and giving it in effect a clean surface for the next succeeding shot. The signaling of the position of each bullet that finds the target is done by means of colored discs or flags mounted on long poles and elevated by the boys in the pit above the breastwork. Different color combinations indicate different scores, and the flag or disc is for purposes of identification waved directly in front of the target when the chronicled record has been made.

The intricacies of target tending, scoring, etc., are further simplified by the fact that a perfect network of telephone wires covers the big target range. There is a telephone station at each firing line on the range and in each target pit. Thus it is possible for the men who are keeping tab on things at the targets to be in instantaneous communication with the firing line, where are stationed the observers with telescopes and field glasses and the scorers who chalk up on their blackboards each shot fired by any contestant. In some of the preliminary practice work for the national matches target shooting at night was resorted to, and some of the up to date American ranges are now equipped with electric lamps so set in reflectors as to illuminate the targets almost as effectively as does daylight.

One of the incidental activities of a great national match that is interesting in the extreme is the handling of the ammunition. The United States service rifle is required to be used by all contestants, and smokeless powder is used exclusively. Uncle Sam furnishes the ammunition free of charge. The War Department provides 1,000,000 rounds of ammunition to be used at the national matches and at preparatory practice beforehand. In the team matches each team receives 1[illegible],000 rounds for preliminary practice at their home stations and 600 rounds for use at Camp Perry. Just here it may be explained that a team is not restricted to 12 men. In addition to the dozen principals there are alternates, a team captain, team coach, a spotter, a range officer and a surgeon if desired.

Great interest in the Camp Perry shoot centers in the performances of Corporal Perry S. Schofield of the National Guard of the State of Massachusetts, who a few weeks ago established a new world's record by one of the most phenomenal feats of marksmanship ever accomplished in the history of the world. In this feat, which has disclosed new possibilities in the Yankee guardsman as a marksman, Corporal Schofield scored 110 consecutive bull's-eyes at [illegible]00 yards, nearly doubling the world's record, which had previously stood at 60 bull's-eyes. Schofield declares that shooting is the most highly scientific of all the games or pastimes in which men engage. He attributes his success to persistent practice, combined with a maintenance of the best of physical condition and temperate habits.

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The Holland Dutch in the past 100 years have taken more than one million acres of land from the sea, lake and river. The land has been reclaimed by a system of drainage and has proved to be very fertile and beneficial to the government.

OFFICER HOSTETTER DIES FRIDAY NIGHT

How He Lived So Long Is a Mystery.

ENOUGH WOUNDS TO KILL SIX MEN

Wife Is at Bedside When He Passes Away—Brave Little Wife Aware That Death Is Near—Two Suspects Are Arrested at Lima and Brought Here.

Officer Jerome Hostetter died at the Marion City hospital, Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock, and the two suspects arrested at Lima are now held at the local city prison for investigation in connection with his murder.

A post-mortem examination conducted at the hospital, Friday night, revealed that the plucky officer had received, according to Dr H J Lower, a sufficient number of internal wounds to kill almost instantly six men of ordinary strength of body.

Entering a few inches below the heart, the fatal thirty-eight caliber bullet cut the lobe of the liver half in two, penetrated the gall bladder, severed the bowel an inch from the stomach, punctured the membrane surrounding the bowels in several different places, passed over the kidneys and lodged an inch below the surface of the body above the right hip, cutting several arteries in its course.

"*I can't account for the fact that* he lived twenty minutes, much less twenty hours," declared Dr Lower, after the post-mortem examination "His is the most remarkable case I have ever known With wounds sufficient to kill six ordinary men almost instantly, he had walked a distance of more than half a mile from the Erie hump to the roundhouse, where he boarded a switch-engine and rode to the Kenton avenue crossing There he was placed in an ambulance and brought to our hospital, where he *climbed two flights of stairs to the* operating-room, and although he must have suffered terribly he complained very little. *He displayed remarkable courage.*"

Conscious Till Last.

Officer Hostetter was conscious until the end. A short time before he died, City Solicitor Elmer T. Boyd and Attorney Hoke W. Donithen were admitted to the room.

Mrs. Hostetter, who had been at his bedside almost hourly since he was taken to the hospital, Thursday night about 11 o'clock, excused herself and went into Dr. Lower's private office.

The wounded officer looked up with a wan smile and said:

"Hello, Hoke; I am glad you came to see me"

A few minutes later, after securing a statement of the shooting from the dying officer, the city solicitor and Attorney Donithen departed. Mr. Hostetter suffered a severe spell of coughing, and spat out a considerable quantity of blood.

"I guess that's blood, Doc," said the officer. He died a minute or two afterward.

Mrs Hostetter was in the doctor's private office when death had come so unexpectedly to her husband.

While Mr. Hostetter was dying a Star reporter called the hospital by telephone.

Wife Answers Phone.

"May I speak to Dr Lower, please?" asked the reporter.

"Dr. Lower is in the room with *Mr. Hostetter and can not come* now," a woman's voice answered.

Presuming that a nurse was talking, the reporter asked about Mr. Hostetter's condition.

"He is worse; he is dying," said the woman in a voice of tears. "Who is this talking?"

"This is the Star talking," replied the reporter. "Is there absolutely *no hope for Mr. Hostetter?*"

"Well, I am Mrs. Hostetter, and the doctor tells me that my husband can not live but a short time" Then *she sobbed* aloud. The reporter sought to say something that would raise her hopes and she replied, crying:

"No, he is dying. It's hard, very hard. We have been married nearly ten years. In about a week we expected to celebrate our tenth wedding anniversary. Yes, I understand that the men who are supposed to have done the shooting are under arrest at Lima, but that will not bring back my husband to me. Good-by."

And with a deep sob Mrs Hostetter hung up the receiver

Brave Little Woman.

"Mrs Hostetter was certainly a brave little woman," said Dr Lower Saturday "How deep was her sorrow was plain to be seen, yet how heroic she was at all times. With her baby and two other small children she had been at the hospital practically ever since her husband was brought here, and she has stood up under *the terrible blow with great fortitude.*"

Mr. Hostetter, who was forty-three years old, had twice been married. His first wife died about eleven years ago In 1900 he was married to Miss Iva Benson, a daughter of George W. Benson of Olney avenue Besides his widow, he is survived by the following children Reiner, aged twelve, a son by his first [illegible], aged seven, Beatrice, aged [illegible], and a son two months old. The Hostetter home is at No. 903 north Main street. He also leaves two brothers.

Officer Hostetter had been a member of the police force at different times for a number of years. He was also at one time a motorman on the local street car lines. Following his death at the hospital his remains were later removed to the Hess & Marker undertaking establishment, on South Main street, where many of the dead officer's friends called Saturday to view them.

The Funeral.

The funeral services of Officer Jerome Hostetter, who died at the hands of a mysterious assassin, were held at the home of Mrs Hostetter's parents, Mr and Mrs George W Benson, on Olney avenue, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock Rev David M Bailey, pastor of the Epworth M E church, officiated Mayor John G Seiter, heads of the various municipal departments, present and former members of the police force and a number of councilmen attended in a body

*The floral embelms were numer*ous and very beautiful Interment was made in the Marion cemetery

Saturday afternoon, the county commissioners, at the request of Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. Justice, offered a reward of $1,000 for the capture and conviction of the officer's slayer.

Two bloodhounds were brought here from Lancaster, Saturday afternoon, and put on the trail They were first taken to the scene of the shooting in the Erie yards The man-hunters took up the scent in an old passenger car, then went through a cornfield and finally an oats field, going directly to the spot where LeRoy Hoffsines, a shopman, was held up and robbed on Silver street, near Kenton avenue, Thursday night *The dogs were held in lesh by their* owner at this point until Police Chief John W Klinefelter asked that the canines be turned loose the other way, meaning that the dogs scent the hold-up men from the scene of the hold-up first. The animals readily took up the scent again, and retraced their tracks, passing through fields of [illegible] and corn until they reached the old Lee coach where Hostetter was shot From the coach, the dogs took another direction, going through a large cornfield and out into the country The animals were then brought back to town

The two suspects arrested at Lima, were released from jail Monday, after having proved alibis Both young fellows, who *claimed* they lived in the East and gave their names as Howard Wilson and William Rodgers told everywhere they had been Thursday night and easily proved what they said Hoffhines, the hold-up victim, thought Wilson was one of the two men who had held him up and told the police that he was, but afterward *admitted that he might be mistaken* When both suspects were able to account for themselves every hour of Thursday night, the police became convinced that Hoffhines was mistaken

Strange to say, not until Saturday did the police give out the information that Hoffhines was with Officer Hostetter *the night he was shot* It now develops that both Hoffhines and Harry D Fisher, the new officer, were standing within a few feet of Hostetter when he was shot What became of Hoffhines and Fisher immediately after the shootin, no one seems to know Before he died, Officer Hostetter told Prosecuting Attorney Justice *that he handed his* gun to Fisher and told him to use it, but the police say now that *Fisher never shot at all* Asked if he saw the men getting out of the car after Hostetter had been shot, Fisher said that he did and had his flashlight on them.

"Then why didn't you shoot 'em?" Fisher was asked by a fellow police officer

"Well, I wanted to get a description of them," replied the *inexperienced Fisher*

"Why in the devil didn't you shoot 'em and then get a description?" shouted the older officer in disgust

The police absolutely are without the slightest clew, and the probabilities are that Hostetter's slayer or slayers will never be known

The police have been much criticized by the public The bringing of bloodhounds here forty hours after the shooting when they could have been secured early the next day, is cited as an example of the bunglesome manner in which the whole case has been handled up to date

As the city can not, under the law, render financial aid to Hostetter's widow and children, an effort is being made to pay the funeral expenses through popular subscription.

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Women—Estella Bush, Miss Chicadance, Bessie Clarke, Mrs. Dave Hudson, Mrs. Robert Hawn, Mrs. Leonard Johnston, Hazel Kirk, Mrs. M Kissel, Mrs Mary Kesott, Mrs. M L. Moore, Mrs M. C. Midlam, Clara Markley, Mrs. Emma Mills, Mrs Mart Noonan, Mrs. Floy Ooley, Ethel L. Osborn, Mrs. Charles Owens, Mrs. Elizabeth Phelps, Ollie Steveson, Mrs. Harriett Speer, Mrs. N E Smith, Mrs Wm. Sheffield, Ida Schann, Bertha Schunnelpfenig, Maude Winters, No 217 S. Prosject St, No. 1910 Capitol Ave.

Firms—Marion Shovel company, 2, American Real Estate exchange, Justice of Peace

Foreign—Alle Manodel Signor.

Packages—Callie Leamon, Mrs. Mamie Ankrom.

Notice—When calling, please say that mail was advertised.

M. B Dickerson, P. M.

Lulu Glaser's next appearnce will be in "The Girl and the Kaiser."

August Sweep Sale!

One week more of the great Sweep Sale. Hundreds of new articles added to the list of already advertised bargains. Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Stoves, Sewing Machines and Dishes. Bargains never before heard of in the furniture selling of Marion county. Some of the many articles placed on sale during this great August Sweep Sale:

- Sideboards
- Dining Tables
- Dining Chairs
- China Closets
- Book Cases
- Davenports
- Buffets
- Pictures
- Library Tables
- Parlor Stands
- Nine by twelve Rugs
- Mattings
- Sanitary Cots
- Gasoline Stoves
- Office Desks
- Office Chairs
- English Carriages
- Go-Carts
- Morris Chairs
- Oak Rockers
- Mahogany Rockers
- Childs' Iron Cribs
- Matresses
- Childs' Rockers
- Drop End Divans
- Linoleums
- Princess Dresser
- Oak, Mahogany & Maple
- Bed Room Suits
- Odd Dressers
- Chiffonieres
- Iron Beds
- Brass Beds
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- Ladies' Writing Desks
- Medicine Cabinets
- Plate Racks
- Couches
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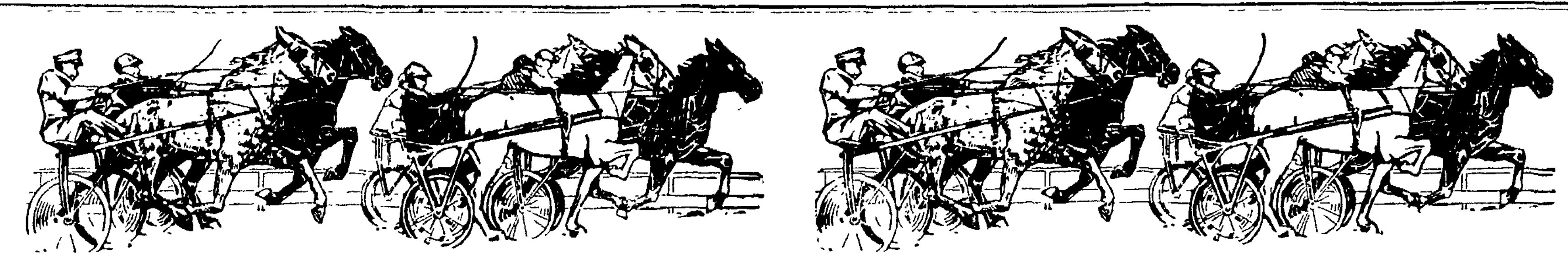
FREDERICK TREFZ IS DEAD OF DROPSY

At His Home Two and a Half Miles Northeast of Martel.

Frederick Trefz, forty-five years old, died of dropsy at his home on the old Trefz farm, two miles and a half northeast of Martel, Tuesday morning at 6 o'clock His death had been expected some time

The deceased was born in Germany and came to Marion county with his father from the old country in 1865 He is survived by a widow and one adopted son, Reuben Trefz, aged twelve years. He also leaves three sisters and two brothers—Mrs Leonard Roschbacher, of Indianapolis; Mrs Charles F. Rousch, of Toledo; Mrs J E. Orrison, of this city; Gottlieb Trefz, of near Martel, and J. G. Trefz, of Marion.

The funeral services were held at the German Reformed church, Thursday *morning* at 10 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Clinton officiating. Interment in Clyde cemetery.



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4 DAYS---SEPTEMBER 27, 28, 29 and 30

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The Marion County Fair is conducted each year with a view to promoting and encouraging agriculture. The cry of the country over, is for greater production on the farm, and this great exhibit lends valuable information regarding modern methods, labor saving devices and profitable strains of stock.

It's live stock show is always the envy of fair managers everywhere—the poultry show—the vegetable exhibit---the art display will this year surpass all records. The premium lists have been increased and widened, offering most liberal inducements to all class of exhibitors. Bear the date in mind, get ready for fair week.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 28th.	
2:35 Trot	Purse $300
2:30 Pace	Purse $300
Half Mile Running 2 in 3	Purse $125
THURSDAY, SEPT. 29th.	
2:19 Pace	Purse $300
2:16 Trot	Purse $400
2:16 Pace	Purse $300
2:20 Trot	Purse $300
Three Quarter Dash Running	Purse $125
FRIDAY, SEPT. 30.	
2:13 Pace	Purse $400
2:23 Trot	Purse $300
2:24 Pace	Purse $300
One and one sixth mile derby	Purse $150

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